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## Dr. Greene's NERVURA

### BLOOD NERVE REMEDY.

#### WEAK, FADING WOMEN.

Departing Health and Beauty Called Back by Dr. Greene's NERVURA.

What is more melancholy than the sight of a woman whose beauty is fading? Such a woman is due to impairment of the nervous system and weakness and impurity of the blood. Among the many symptoms are headache, nervousness, irritability, tired feeling, nervousness and persistent attacks of blues. Relief can only be obtained by a complete purification of the system through the use of Dr. Greene's NERVURA blood and nerve remedy.

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"I suffered with terrible headache and such an awful headache and I had not a bit of appetite. I cried with pain from womb trouble and was as pale as a ghost. I was terribly nervous. I could not sleep for a long time, and had a nervousness in my shoulders and arms. I suffered everything, nobody but God knows how I suffered. I weighed 125 pounds. A friend recommended Dr. Greene's NERVURA blood and nerve remedy, and I commenced to take it. After taking the NERVURA I never had a pain in my side, my head, my nerves, and I sleep well and have a good appetite. I don't believe there is any medicine in the world so good as Dr. Greene's NERVURA. It did me good right off and I have had no return of my womb trouble. I had leucorrhoea, but since taking NERVURA that has disappeared. I feel strong and able to do the work for fourteen in the family. I now weigh 125 pounds."

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#### A "PORTLAND" MESSAGE?

Bottle Containing One Said to Have Been Found Up River.

A bottle containing a message from one of the victims of the ill-fated steamship Portland off this coast a year ago, is said to have been picked up on the shore of the Piscataqua river above Dover Point by a man who resides in that vicinity.

The message is said to have been signed by "William Maverick, New York City," and says that the ship was going down and all hands would be lost.

That some such message should be found is not surprising, but nothing yet has given any clear story of how the big steamer and her passengers met their fate.

#### NEW HAMPSHIRE UNITARIAN ASSOCIATION.

The annual meeting of the New Hampshire Unitarian association will be held at the Unitarian church in Exeter Thursday evening and Friday morning next. The program is arranged as follows:

Thursday, 7:30 p. m., evening worship, with sermon by the Rev. James De Normandie of Roxbury, Mass.

Friday, 9 a. m., devotional service, conducted by the Rev. W. F. Furman of Milton; 9:30, annual reports, election of officers and other business; 10:30, three 20-minute addresses on the topic "Religion and Public Spirit," speakers, the Rev. Charles F. Dole of Jamaica Plain, Mass., the Rev. H. C. McDougal of Franklin Falls and the Rev. Charles J. Staples of Manchester; 11:30, three 20-minute addresses on the topic, "Devotional Loyalty," speakers, the Rev. S. C. Brane of Newburyport, Mass., the Rev. Charles B. Elder of Keene and the Rev. George H. Rice of Laconia; 12:30, collation.

The afternoon session will open at 2 o'clock with three 20-minute addresses on the topic "Church Membership," speakers, the Rev. A. S. Garver of Worcester, Mass., the Rev. W. H. Walbridge of Rochester and the Rev. F. L. Phalen of Worcester. At 3 o'clock an address will be delivered by the Rev. F. W. Pratt of Walpole on "Signs of Promise in Liberalism," and the meeting will close with a discussion of the day's work, opened by the Rev. George H. Badger, field agent of the American Unitarian association.

#### QUALITY FIRST.

Quality is the first essential with all manufacturers with established reputations. The nimble nickel works wonder in all lines of trade, and the oftener it is turned the greater is the purchasing power in any line.

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#### CATTLE CLUB TO MEET.

New Hampshire stock raisers and local produce men have received notification that the annual meeting of the American Guernsey Cattle club will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 13 at the Fifth Avenue hotel, New York city, at 10:30 o'clock. The meeting will be of special interest to every breeder of Guernsey cattle. The committee chosen to formulate a new scale of points will submit a report which will bring before the meeting a standard of excellence for the breed that will merit careful consideration. The results of the past year's competitive home butter tests will also be announced. William H. Caldwell of Peterborough, this state, is secretary of the club.

#### SPORTING MATTERS.

Gus Rablin wants a go at Jeffries and has posted \$1000 for a finish fight.

Fitzsimmons desires another fight with Jeffries, and his backer has posted a forfeit of \$2,500.

The editor of the London Daily Mail proposes to challenge for the America's cup, the races to be run next summer.

Dartmouth is working for a track athletic meet with Brown next spring.

#### THE MARKETS ARE NOW WELL SUPPLIED.

The Portsmouth markets are unusually well supplied with necessities to eat. In fact, they have many articles that are supposed to be out of season at this time. There is about everything to please the house keeper who prides herself in having good things on her table.

Up in the row there is still lots of green stuff in the windows and it looks fresh and nice. Never before has there been such nice celery in the market. The greater part of it was raised in this immediate vicinity.

Celery sells from 10 to 20 cents a bunch.

Kettuce is 8 cents a head.

Spinach is unusually nice at 20 cents a peck.

Cauliflowers go at 15 to 25 cents a peck.

Fowl at 12 to 15 cents a pound.

Chickens for 14 to 20 cents a pound.

Nice country fresh eggs go at 23 cents a dozen.

Turkeys at 17 cents a pound.

Legs of lamb at 12 cents a pound.

Forequarters of lamb at 6-1-2 cents a pound.

Beef for roasts at from 9 to 18 cents.

Corned beef at from 7 to 12 cents.

Potatoes are good at 55 cents a bushel.

Creamery butter can be had 35 cents a pound.

Nodhead apples at 35 cents a peck.

Baldwins at 30 cents a peck.

Apples are a trifle higher this year than customary, but the fruit is excellent.

Portsmouth markets will compare favorably with any in the country.

#### LOWER TELEPHONE RATES.

A step has been taken by the New England Telephone company towards lower telephone rates in all the cities where this company operates.

Resident telephones, having six calls on a line, will be put in at the rate of \$25 a year, giving a metallic circuit and the best long distance connections. Hitherto a measured service giving 500 calls in a year, additional calls, to be charged extra, has been granted.

This is really a reduction in the cost of telephones. The metallic circuit is the best service given by the company, no matter what the rates.

The work of dividing the residential from the business lines will be done gradually. People using the six call service will not in future be placed on the same line with business concerns, so that they are assured of lines less likely to be continually busy than if on business lines.

#### THE DAHLGREN ACCEPTED.

The navy department has received a formal report of the inspection board upon the recent acceptance of the torpedo boat Dahlgren, at Boothbay, Me. The report is highly complimentary to the builders of the craft. It says that the seagoing qualities of the Dahlgren are excellent. The vibration is very slight. The boat is said to be strong and well built, in strict conformity with the contract requirements. The engineers are in excellent condition. At top speed the propellers made 318 68 revolutions per minute, with the result that in sixty consecutive minutes the boat covered a distance of 30,007.5 knots. Upon the report the Dahlgren will be accepted by the government as soon as some unfinished work is performed.

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#### CHARLEY JONES' CONDITION.

The condition of Charley Jones at the Cottage hospital is still serious.

No surgical operation has yet been performed and it has not yet been decided whether his leg can be saved.

#### THEATRICAL HAPPENINGS.

##### A COMING ATTRACTION.

Way Down East, which is coming to Music hall, is a charming idyl of New Hampshire farm life and is meeting with enormous success throughout the country, its two months in Boston having been followed by enthusiastic acceptance in every other city visited. Its adroit blending of comedy and pathos, and the admirable acting of a superb company, has made it one of the most popular rustic plays ever produced. Negotiations are now pending by which Way Down East will be played in New York during the whole of this season. It already has its credit a New York run of 200 performances at the Manhattan. Plays that appeal to churchgoers are the prevailing stage fare nowadays. The Christian, Little Minister, and Way Down East are looked upon as the sure winners of the present season. Way Down East is said to have cleared over \$18,000 profits for Wm. A. Brady during its eight weeks' production in Boston.

##### A GREAT PRODUCTION.

In making their preparations for the production of Ben Hur, Klaw & Erlanger called to their aid the ablest corps of experts to be had in this country and Europe, including the dramatist, the master of music, the scene painter, the historical cosumer, the archaeologist and the horse-trainer. The dramatic version of the story of Ben Hur is by William Young, Esq., who made the dramatization of Ganelon, for Lawrence Barrett and the adaptation of Bernhardt's Joan d'Arc for Margaret Mather. A dramatist of great vitality, a literary man of distinction and an antiquarian of wide research, a wise selection to dramatize this novel could not have been made. The music is by Prof. Edgar Stillman Kelly, whose composition of the famous Maebeth music brought him great fame. The scenery is by Ernest Albert and Ernest Gros. Mr. Albert painted all the scenes pertaining to Jerusalem and Mr. Gros those of Antioch. That the eight race-horses used in the chariot race may properly play their parts, they have been in training for the past two months, being given a run daily on the stage of the Broadway theatre which, in the open air, would be the equivalent of a mile. To provide against sickness of any of the horses, three extra ones are in training. The mechanical contrivance on which the horses run at full speed and yet remain on the same spot from start to finish, is worked on the principle of a treadmill. The development of this effect alone cost \$15,000 and necessitated the construction of an entirely new stage in the Broadway theatre.

##### THEATRICAL NOTES.

Francis Wilson is rehearsing Ermione and will shortly take it on the road with Josephine Knapp in the title role.

Sag Harbor is still drawing as many persons as the Park theatre can hold. Mr. Herne has won another success.

That delightful old actor, Denman Thompson, will return to the Boston theatre next Monday with the ever popular The Old Homestead.

Instead of issuing return checks to persons leaving a theatre during the performance, the Japanese mark the departing spectator on the hand with an India rubber stamp, the mark varying each evening in form and color.

Souza will soon begin on the score of the new opera which he is composing for de Wolfe Hopper, and expects to have it completed for next season. It will be called King Gamma. Charles Klein is writing the book and Grant Stewart the lyrics.

##### THE FEASTING SEASON.

The local trade in poultry and game is just beginning to pick up and the preliminary demands of the feasting season are beginning to be felt. Turkeys are coming into market in the very best condition, which is a bright contrast to the poor condition of the big birds a year ago. Not many geese have yet showed up, and ducks are not plenty. Of the different kinds of wild fowl such as may be legally sold, there is a supply equal to the demand. Venison other than such as has been captured by local gunners is scarce and high.

Energy all gone? Headache? Stomach out of order? Simply a case of torpid liver. Burdock Blood Bitter will make a new man or woman of you.

#### THE CYCLE DRUMMER IS HERE.

The cycle drummer is abroad in the land. He starts out about this time each season and puts in three or four months touring the country in the interests of the wheel he represents.

He does not have a next year's model with him. In many cases he does not carry a grip farther than from the depot to the hotel. But he has every phase of the business at his tongue's end.

He can not only talk bicycles, he can sell them. He can induce the retail agent, who is accustomed to handle his make of a wheel, to place a 50 machine order for next season where in reality the dealer only wanted half a dozen or so. The cycle drummer is a smooth gentleman and he has to be. Otherwise he would not be in the business.

"The first of the army of cycle agents floated into this city yesterday." This drummer is out for one of the firms that is not thus far in the combine.

"The cycle combine," he said, "will not control the entire output of the cycle manufacturers next season."

There are manufacturers of bicycles who are averse to the combine. They are staying out; but they are making bicycles and they will sell them, too, before the season is over. The concert I represent is not in the combine, but we are having no difficulty getting rid of our stock. Our factories are running night and day. We cannot, thus early, more than fill our orders."

"This is going to be a great year for wheels. I mean next year, of course," he added. "Bicycle manufacturers and bicycle dealers throughout the country will have more business and better business than any year since '95. Ninety-five was the greatest season for selling wheels the country has ever seen. In '96 the market was overloaded; '97 and '98 proved poor seasons for obvious reasons, the war incidentally tending to keep down sales in '98. The season just closed has been a fair season; not the equal of '96, but better than the others since then. Next season will be even better."

"As for the price of wheels, they will probably remain just about where they stood a year ago, to the purchasers."

#### THE CEREMONY OF THE HAT.

The ceremony of the hat is somewhat more punctilious than formerly," writes Mrs. Burton Kingsland of "Good Form for All Occasions," in November Ladies' Home Journal. "A man awaits the lady's recognition before he raises his hat to her. He also raises his hat when presented to a woman, when meeting or taking leave of her, when about to address her, or when she first speaks to him—for whatever reason, if he passes her on the stairway or in front of her in a public conveyance, theatre or elsewhere—indeed, whenever the least apology would be in order; when he offers his services in anyway, even tacitly, or shows her some trifling courtesy; and he should always raise his hat when acknowledging her thanks. A man should pay the same mannerly tribute to her sex when a woman enters an elevator and remain uncovered during her stay therein. He should also raise his hat upon recognizing an acquaintance who has a lady with him. If the friend with whom he may be bows to a lady, he should show the same courtesy, although she may be unknown to him. Should a lady be with him and recognize a friend, he should lift his hat."

#### TO CURE LA GRIFFE IN TWO DAYS.

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#### YORK.

York, Nov. 11.

Miss Helen Bragdon returned Friday night from a visit among relatives in Albany, N. Y., and will assume charge of the York Beach primary school during the illness of the regular teacher, Edith M. Moulton.

An interesting lecture, with stereopticon views, was given in the Congregational church Wednesday evening by Chief Boatswain Hill who was an officer on the Brooklyn during the recent Spanish-American war. Mr. Hill gave a graphic account of the great naval battle in Santiago Harbor, July 3, and illustrated his talks with many anecdotes and reminiscences of the occasion. A good audience was present and a fair sum was netted for the benefit of the society.

In the Cape Neddick Baptist church the first of a series of lectures was given Thursday evening by Frank C. Porter, who treated his subject: "Three Thousand Miles of Instruction. Honor and Pathos," in a most pleasing manner.

Mrs. Isabel Small is visiting her father, Mr. J. P. Norton, at the village.

The first of a series of revival meetings was held in the Christian church Thursday evening at which Mr. Knight of South Berwick presided.

Mr. F. Emery and his partner, Mr. J. B. Jones, started Friday on a driving trip to St. Johnsbury, Vt., with a swift pair of horses comprising Savana and Fanny Medium.

Jack Loyris, another York horse owned by Messrs. Ellis of York will be driven this afternoon at Rockingham Park by J. P. Putnam, the well known trainer.

A. M. Bragdon, Fred Winn and C. W. Goodale, all of this town returned this week from a fortnight's hunting trip in the Maine woods. They brought with them four deer.

Schooner Satellite, Captain Palmer Perkins, arrived this week with a cargo of sand for G. E. Marshall.

#### FROM HOUGHTON, MIFFLIN & CO.

Messrs. Houghton, Mifflin & Company published on November 4 Dr. Washington Gladden's "How Much is Left of the Old Doctrines?" which, it may be said, is not of such gloomy portent as its title possibly would imply.

I. K. Friedman, author of "The Lucky Number," a story of slum life in Chicago which has been very well received, has written another novel, "Poor People," dealing with a higher type of characters and with less hard conditions, and including no little romantic interest. Messrs. Houghton, Mifflin & Company publish the book in November.

The provinces of Georgia and South Carolina during the Revolution are the scene of Mrs. Jeanie Gould Lincoln's new romance, "A Pretty Tory," which comes soon from Messrs. Houghton, Mifflin & Company. Marion and his men enter into the plot of the story.

#### FIRST SNOW STORMS OF PAST YEARS.

On Nov. 10 last year we had our first real snow storm and it covered the ground in pretty good shape.

The dates of the first snow storms since 1890 are as follows.

In 1890 the first one was on Nov. 11; 1891, Dec. 16; 1892, Nov. 2; 1893, Nov. 15; 1894, Nov. 6; 1895, Nov. 2; 1896, Nov. 14; 1897, Nov. 12; 1898, Nov. 10;

It is rather interesting to look back at these dates and it is noticeable that they do not vary a great deal. It is not very often that we get by the middle of November without having to record a snow storm.

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3 MARKET STREET.



The Underdog.  
For many days I rode,  
My horse's head on towards the sun,  
And as I rode a long, long time,  
I might have kept the sunset road,  
Hiding my horse right on and on,  
Overtake the day still lagging at the  
wren.  
And so reach boyhood from the dawn,  
And be with all the days at rest.  
For then the odor of the growing  
wheat,  
The flare of sunniness on the hills,  
The touch of grasses to my feet  
Would cure my brain of all its ills—  
Would fill my heart so full of joy  
That no stern lines could fret my  
face,  
There would I be forever boy.  
Lit by the sky's unflinching grace.  
—Hamlin Garland.

## A THOROUGH VILLAIN

"So you have come to make me rack  
my brain for another reminiscence,  
have you? Well, old man, I am pre-  
pared for you, and I will give you an  
account of the mysterious wharf mur-  
der which paralyzed the city with hor-  
ror some fifteen years ago."

Thus old Clew addressed me as I  
entered his private office one afternoon  
notebook in hand.

"One morning a messenger came to  
headquarters from one of the sub-  
stations with the information that the  
mutilated body of a handsomely  
dressed man had been found thump-  
ing with the tide against one of the  
East River bulkheads.

"The district roundsman was mak-  
ing his circuit at an early hour, when  
a wharf rat came up and said:  
"Look yer, Cop, yer jes' go out on  
an' yer will see somethin' that'll make  
yer hair stand."

"What's there, my lad?" inquired  
the roundsman.  
"There's a jolly 'stiff' afloat out  
ther—an 'upper-tenner,' as sure as  
you're alive, old man."

"The officer well knew what was  
meant by an 'upper-tenner,' and hav-  
ing turned to the end of the pier, he  
beheld the body of a man, floating face  
downward. At a glance he saw, also,  
that it was the body of a well-to-do  
individual. Getting a rope he se-  
cured the corpse to the dock, and then  
reported the case at once to the sta-  
tion, whence messages were at once  
sent to the Coroner and then to the  
detective office.

"I happened to be on duty at the  
time, and at once made my way to  
the wharf where the body was se-  
cured. I arrived ahead of the Cor-  
oner, and was, consequently, compelled  
to await that independent officer's ar-  
rival, as, according to law, not even  
a detective has the right to disturb  
a body until that official is present.

"It was full two hours before that  
tardy gentleman arrived, and by the  
time he had come quite a crowd was  
gathered upon the dock, gazing with  
morbid curiosity at the human form  
that was thumping against the piles  
of the wharf in the incoming tide.

"When the body was drawn from  
the water and stretched out, all drip-  
ping upon the dock, a smothered cry  
of horror burst from the lips of the  
bystanders, as their eyes fell upon a  
terrible gash in the dead man's fore-  
head, plainly indicating that he was  
the victim of a foul murder.

"Upon receiving permission from  
the Coroner, I proceeded to search the  
victim's clothes; but some one, his  
murderer, as I correctly concluded,  
had anticipated me. I found nothing  
but a few grains of burnt coffee in his  
vest pocket.

"The body was ordered to be taken  
to the morgue for identification, and  
I returned to the office, taking the co-  
ffee grains with me. I had already  
formed a theory, and had some slight  
hopes of working out the mystery.

"For three days the body remained  
at the morgue before it was identified.  
A Boston firm had seen the keeper's  
advertisement, giving a description of  
the man's dress and general appear-  
ance, and when one of the firm came  
on he at once recognized the remains  
as those of their confidential clerk,  
who had left Boston for New York  
about a week previously on business  
for the firm.

"I called on this gentleman and  
learned from him that Mr. Freeman,  
the murdered man, had been the owner  
of a beautiful watch, diamond studs  
and sleeve buttons, and that he, most  
likely, had several hundred dollars in  
money about him at the time he was  
killed.

"Having ascertained this much I  
went to work. To me the coffee grains  
spoke volumes and I read my way out  
of the mystery quite clearly.

"My first dodge was the adoption  
of a suitable disguise. I assumed that  
of a 'canaler,' the latter term, you  
know, is applied by thieves to all  
greenies from the country. When prop-  
erly rigged for my purpose, I sallied  
forth and commencing at a point some  
ten blocks below where the body was  
found, I took in every drinking place  
from thence on the river front, up to  
ten blocks above. I was looking for  
a laundromat where coffee grains, all  
spice and cloves were kept on the bar  
as taste-killers. But they were all  
low places that I entered, and I did  
not find those conditions set out in  
any of them, so I took one street back  
and traversed the same as I had the  
river front, and, finding none there,  
I took the next, and here I found my  
gin mill with the coffee grains on the  
bar. It was situated on the corner of  
the street which terminated on the  
pier near which the body had been  
found.

"So far, so good; I was satisfied  
in my own mind that I was now in  
the house which the murdered man

had just visited, previous to being  
brutally murdered.  
The first glance I fastened upon  
the bartender disclosed me that he was  
a bad one—a thorough villain—but a  
coward one of those chaps who try  
to intimidate by loud talk and slang  
phrases.  
"When I walked up to the bar and  
asked for something to drink he eyed  
me disdainfully, and came seemingly  
reluctantly forward to wait on me.  
"But when I disclosed a well-filled  
wallet and laid down a \$20 bill his  
whole manner changed instantly, and  
he was quite agreeable.

"At length he excused himself, went  
to the door and beckoned to a youth  
to come over. I understood that move-  
ment—I was pleased, and you will  
learn why shortly.

"The youth came over, when the  
bartender said:  
"Johnny, lend bar for me a little  
while. I want to go to the barber's."

"Then turning to me he added: 'Don't  
leave, old man; there will be some of  
the lads in by and by, and I'll be  
back in a few minutes.'

"You may just bet, Herbert, that I  
had no intention of leaving; things  
were working nicely. It was fully 20  
minutes before the bartender returned  
and when he did so I noticed that he  
had not been shaved; but as I meant  
to shave him a trifle closer, I did not  
bother myself about this.

"Five minutes after his return the  
bartender was followed by two of the  
worst-looking villains I had ever seen—  
two sweet 'buds' of the first water.

"I was soon introduced to these  
guys and invited to drink. I drank,  
of course. Drink followed drink,  
drinks were proposed. I played and  
sang, and so the hours glided by, until  
night fell. It was a foggy, disagree-  
able night—excellent weather for mur-  
der.

"My two friends proposed that we  
should go on board of a ship out on  
the pier, and they should get me a  
genuine bottle of brandy from the cap-  
tain, who was a friend of theirs. I  
will not bother your readers with my  
expressions of reluctance to going out  
there, nor the subtle arguments they  
used to persuade me, but at last I con-  
sented, of course. We had proceeded  
half way up the pier when I conclud-  
ed it was too against one, and things  
had gone far enough. I wanted them  
killed. Turning suddenly I dealt one a  
tap on the head with a club which I  
had kept concealed, and he reeled and  
fell. I quickly clapped 'wristlets' on  
the other before he fairly realized  
what was going on.

"What is this for?" exclaimed the  
ruffian with an oath.  
"Murder," I replied, quietly, as I  
adjusted the cuffs on him and pinned  
him to the other one.

"Such volleys of oaths and curses  
as I listened to while taking these two  
prisoners—for that's what they were,  
river pirates—to the office, was a caution,  
but I was used to that.

"At the office we found the murdered  
man's studs upon them and other  
small articles, which were afterward  
identified as having belonged to their  
victim.

"My judgment about that bartender  
was correct. He turned out to be an  
arrant coward.

"He turned State's evidence and  
gave his confederates away. When he  
left the saloon on pretense of going  
to the barber's, he went to bring in the  
two pirates and I was the intended  
victim, but their missed a fly-catch,  
just once. One of them died in prison,  
the other was hanged, and two years  
later I had the pleasure of seeing the  
barkeeper, who escaped in the above  
case by turning State's evidence, sent  
to Sing Sing for 20 years in another  
case; he got the full swing for his  
previous connection with the famous  
dock murder."

## Coventry Patmore

Patmore in quite another fashion has  
ascertained from the tomb our ancient  
glories, and taught us that the blood  
of saints flows in our veins; that that  
spiritual power is not to be disre-  
garded which created the poetry, archi-  
tecture, painting, and sculpture of medi-  
eval Europe. We have no details of  
Patmore's conversion to Catholicism,  
but it is easy to see how the aesthet-  
icism of that religion could provoke  
from him not only love but obedience.  
Yet he is philosopher enough to know  
that culture is but a faint manifesta-  
tion of the high spirit that dwells  
within—that beauty is but the splendor  
of the true.

Patmore's second wife relieved him  
of all financial difficulties, and some  
have said that it was she who made  
him a Catholic. This cannot be true,  
for his mystical aspirations had al-  
ready and unconsciously made him a  
Catholic. He was of too independent  
and candid a mind to be influenced  
either by Puritanism because his first  
wife was a Puritan, or by Catholicism  
because his second wife was a Catho-  
lic. Yet it would be wrong to deny  
that these women must have indirect-  
ly melted his heart and soul—how  
could so susceptible a character as his  
resist them? Father Cardella, the Ital-  
ian Jesuit, who is known as being  
something of a philosopher and theo-  
logian, is rumored to have said, after  
meeting with Patmore in Rome, that  
he was Catholicism itself before he  
was received formally into the  
Church.—The Catholic World Maga-  
zine.

## Women Scarce There.

The disproportion of the sexes is  
still very great in West Australia.  
There are only 54,000 women in a  
population of 108,000.

It was an automobile; it  
Began to talk and rant;  
And when 'twas told to move on, said,  
"I auto, but I shan't."  
—Young's Evening

## SWISS CUSTOMS LIVE.

Curious Habits that are Observed in a  
Wisconsin Colony.

The memory of their ancestors and  
of their origin has been preserved by  
the members of the Swiss settlement  
at New Glarus, Wis., by keeping fresh  
the ancient customs of Switzerland  
and handing them down to their chil-  
dren. In this mother colony of the  
12,000 Swiss-descended citizens of  
Green county it is even claimed that  
old Swiss customs are more in vogue  
than in many parts of Switzerland.

That country, the playground of  
hordes of tourists, has in late years  
lost much of its national identity.

The complete isolation of New Glar-  
us from its founding down until with-  
in ten years has kept it almost as  
Swiss as Glarus of the Alps itself. Un-  
til within ten years the nearest rail-  
road was twenty-six miles away. A  
barrier of Norwegians on the north,  
Welsh to the west and French to the  
east further protected the community  
from contact with Americans. Only  
toward the south could the Swiss  
come in contact with Americans, and  
many of these Americans were from  
that scarcely assimilated stock, the  
Pennsylvania Dutch. So the old Swiss  
customs, the old Swiss church, are  
still cherished by the people. The  
old Swiss dialect of German, which  
the historian of the place, the Hon.  
John Luchsinger, predicted fourteen  
years ago would last for 200 years,  
"unless the iron horse finds his way  
into these hills," bids fair not to out-  
live another generation. Although in  
the German towns of the lakeshore  
counties one hears more English than  
in New Glarus, the children are begin-  
ning to use the national tongue. A  
schoolhouse crowns the highest hill  
in the village and there the medium  
of instruction is English. Not many  
years ago the German parochial  
school was the only one of the Eng-  
lish papers are the principal factor in  
spreading the use of English.

## Ancient Church Customs.

But if the old language is going out  
of use, not so the old national cus-  
toms. One of the most striking of the  
national customs, one that has been  
kept up for 501 years, is to be ob-  
served on Sunday. In the centre of  
the village, on a little grassy hill, is  
the queer old Zwinglian church of  
whitewashed stone, massive walled  
and charming medieval in appear-  
ance. The bells hang in the belfry  
tower. At 9 o'clock of these bells rung  
the congregation assembles, men  
sitting on one side, women on the  
other. At 10 both bells are rung to-  
gether as a signal that the minister  
has left his house and is approach-  
ing. The congregation rises and  
stands until he has entered the pulpit  
and the services have begun. After  
the services the men rise and remain  
standing in their places until the last  
woman had left the house.

On a summer Sunday of 1388, over  
a hundred years before the discovery  
of America, a woman happening to  
leave the church before service was  
over discovered a body of Austrians  
approaching and so prevented the sur-  
prise of the Swiss. In the battle that  
ensued, the Swiss won, the women  
fought with the men and largely by  
their aid was the day won and the in-  
dependence of the canton assured.  
Ever since that day in every church of  
the canton, the memory of those brave  
women has been honored by this gal-  
lant custom.

Marriage among the Glarners is at-  
tended by several rites and edgewise  
several restrictions. No Glarner will  
marry on any day except Tuesday and  
Thursday preferably the latter. In the  
second place no Glarner will marry  
anybody except a Glarner. The ortho-  
dox Jews can scarcely look with great-  
er horror upon marriage with a gen-  
tle than the Glarners upon marriage  
with other than their own people. Be-  
fore the wedding the engaged couple  
together visit all whom they wish to  
invite to the ceremony. Just before  
the ceremony and just after it there  
is a mighty discharge of firearms.

The great holiday of the year, the  
peculiar Swiss holiday, is Kilbi. Then  
there is feasting, family reunions,  
then the people of other nationalities  
come to New Glarus to help the Glar-  
ners celebrate. The feast resembles  
our Thanksgiving in many ways. Like  
Thanksgiving, it is a movable yet  
fixed feast. It comes on the last Sun-  
day and Monday of September. A  
few of the residents of New Glarus  
can tell you that Kilbi is a corruption  
of Kirchweib, church, or, in other  
words, church dedication. On the morn-  
ing of Kilbi Sunday the pastor rededicates  
the church and that is the end of all  
ecclesiastical connection with the hol-  
iday. At noon the Kilbi dinner is eat-  
en, and if turkey must be present at  
the Thanksgiving dinner, honey must  
be eaten on Kilbi. In the afternoon  
there is perhaps some target shooting.  
Though in late years this has rather  
ceased and all celebration postponed  
until Monday. Monday is the day of  
merrymaking. There is some target  
shooting, perhaps processions and  
speechmaking, invariably two or three  
big balls in the evening.

As so small town gives a big Fourth  
of July celebration every year, so the  
speechmaking and processions are not  
of common occurrence. But the marks-  
manship contest comes every year.  
The Swiss and Tyrolese of the settle-  
ment take part in this. The contest  
does not appear to be based upon  
rhyme or reason. A soldier on duty  
wears his hat wherever he is. The  
papa guards retain their helmets,  
even in church and when the pope  
himself is conducting the services. So  
the Glarner. His hat is part of his full  
dress. At the contest, which is a  
some act of democratic assertiveness  
on the part of his ancestors. Let the  
thought be at once dismissed that he  
does it through boorishness, for the  
Glarners are an urbane people, with  
quite a French national politeness.  
—Chicago Record.

## TEA IMPORTATIONS.

Amount That Comes to the United  
States—Methods of Testing.

Two-thirds of the total tea importations  
of the United States come in  
through this port, or nearly 60,000,000  
pounds a year. Although Americans  
are not especially known as a tea-  
loving or a tea-drinking people, they  
consume 90,000,000 pounds of tea an-  
nually. According to native growers  
in the Orient, the finest teas come to  
America. This statement is, in a  
measure, borne out by the fact that  
England is striving to have a system  
established similar to that now oper-  
ative in the United States, prohibiting  
the importation of teas that fall be-  
low a certain standard of quality.  
Canada, too, is trying to follow the  
United States in legislating against  
the too free importation of impure and  
unwholesome teas.

For 50 years prior to 1897 America  
was flooded with the poorest and most  
unwholesome teas grown. For twenty-  
five years there was no duty what-  
ever on tea, and 10,000,000 pounds  
annually made their way into this  
country. Owing to a system of auc-  
tions, which induced the importation  
of a low grade of teas, the quality de-  
teriorated so that the price of 15 cents  
a pound for the average total importation  
was reached. One year after the  
passage, in 1897, of the bill regulating  
the quality of tea imported the impor-  
tation has fallen off 20,000,000 pounds,  
that amount having been rejected.

The method pursued in determining  
a standard of tea is as interesting as  
it is simple. The essential is a fine,  
discriminating, educated palate on the  
part of the inspector, and, in addition  
to this, the expert must have an acute  
sense of smell and an eye quick to  
recognize foreign matter. When a  
consignment arrives the importer fur-  
nishes samples from packages of the  
several varieties included in the in-  
voice designated by the collector. Ex-  
aminers must test all the teas for any  
foreign matter on the surface of the  
infusion, and for quality of leaf after  
infusion. The quality is ascertained  
by drawing according to the custom  
of the tea trade, with the weight of  
a five cent piece to the cup. Country  
green teas, Imperial, Hyson, coarse  
leaf, gunpowders with the young Hy-  
son standards, and all the other young  
Hysons and small-leaf gunpowders  
with the young Hyson standard. The  
quality must be equal to the standard,  
but the flavor may be that of a differ-  
ent district as long as it is equal in  
sweetness. As an illustration, a Teen-  
cat may be equal to a Moyune, but a  
distinctly smoky or rank Wenchow of  
sour character must not be considered  
as equal to the first mentioned variety.  
The rules laid down by the Govern-  
ment.

In order to test for floating coloring  
matter and also for the quality of the  
infusion leaf, a second drawing is  
made of double the foregoing weight.  
Before distributing the infusion exam-  
ination is made for any floating  
substance, and, after pouring off the  
water, the infused leaf is taken out  
so as to exhibit the lower side which  
rested against the cup. Should the  
leaf show a large quantity of ex-  
hausted or decayed leaf or foreign  
substance than the standard, it is con-  
sidered inferior in quality, and the tea  
is rejected, even if it be superior to  
the standard in some of the qualifica-  
tions. In green and Japans particularly  
the brightness of the leaf is consid-  
ered as an evidence of quality. Macao  
or Canton Congous are compared  
with the standard for the South  
China Congou, and brick tea com-  
pared with the standard for the dis-  
tinct whence it comes. Mustiness or  
damaged flavor, which is exhibited in  
certain Canton teas imported for  
Chinese consumption, is considered as suf-  
ficient cause for rejection. Until the  
establishment of a new standard for  
Amoy Oolongs they will be tested by  
the Foochow standard.

The dust and fannings must be re-  
stricted to 10 per cent when sifted  
through a sieve of No. 16 mesh made  
of brass wire. In order that the  
"needle leaf" and tips may not be  
found with dust, they are returned  
with the dust for a second and third  
sifting until separated through a  
smaller sieve. This course is fol-  
lowed in all Formosa, Foochow, Amoy  
Oolongs, Canton teas, Congous, Indias  
and Ceylons. Dust and fannings in  
Japanese teas must not exceed 4 per  
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**Creeping Numbness is a Danger Signal**

Mr. G. H. Snyder, a well known citizen of Lawrence, Kan., said: "I am now seventy years of age. About three years ago I experienced a coldness or numbness in the feet, then creeping up my legs, until it reached my body. I grew very thin, lost my appetite, and I did not sleep. I consulted several distinguished physicians, one telling me I had locomotor ataxia, another that I had creeping paralysis. I took their medicines but continued to grow worse. A friend told me of a friend who had used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Before I had finished my first box I found they were benefiting me. I used twelve boxes in all, and was perfectly cured. Although it is six months since I used my last pill there has been no recurrence of the disease."—From Lawrence Journal.

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**HERO OF MANILA AGAIN AHEAD OF TIME.**

Again the Hero of Manila Wins a Quick Victory—It Surprises His Friends, But, as Usual, He is Ahead of Time—The Handsome Bride—They Arrive in New York.

Washington, D. C. Nov. 10.—Admiral George Dewey and Mrs. Mildred McLean Dewey were married Thursday at St. Paul's Catholic Church by Rev. James F. Macklin.

The reason given for this unexpected hastening of the ceremony was Mrs. Dewey's nervous condition. The sudden notoriety, the rush of the reporters and interviewers from near and far, the column of near and fictitious matter in the newspapers, the plague of curiosity seekers, both at home and during her visit to New York, so suddenly cut short, were underrunning the health of the modest little woman, and it was decided that the sooner she became Mrs. Dewey



(Mrs. Dewey, nee Hazen.)

and dropped out of public sight the better it would be for her health and happiness. Hence the sudden rush of Lieut. Caldwell to the marriage license bureau Wednesday and the subsequent proceedings of so much interest to the public.

Admiral Dewey wore a black frock coat and gray striped trousers and a dark overcoat. Lieut. Caldwell acted in the capacity of best man.

The ceremony was strictly private and of the simplest character. It was held, not in the body of the church, but in the rectory. There were no guests whatever. At the close of the ceremony Admiral Dewey grasped Father Macklin's hand and said: "Father, I am greatly pleased to have been married by you, for I know that at one time in your life you were a sailor."

After the ceremony the Admiral and Mrs. Dewey entered a carriage and were driven to the residence of Mrs. Washington McLean, where a wedding breakfast was served. The party then left for New York.

Admiral Dewey's wife, nee Mrs. Hazen, is the widow of Gen. William P. Hazen. She was Mildred McLean, and is the daughter of the late Washington McLean and the sister of John R. McLean, editor of the Cincinnati Enquirer, and also Mrs. Ludlow, wife of Gen. Ludlow.

Mrs. Dewey is rather under the average size, but she does not give the impression of being a small woman, because of the grace with which she carries herself and the certain proud little way her dainty head is set upon her shoulders—an inheritance direct from her beautiful mother, Mrs. McLean, who is credited to be the most patriotic woman in appearance and bearing in Washington's most exclusive circles. Wearing Mrs. Dewey walk across the room a stranger might conceive the idea that there was something of the De Vere in her manner, but once to look into her dark eyes would instantly dispel such an impression.

Mrs. Dewey's wedding gown was of gray—to be accurate, zinc gray—and it was trimmed with oxidized silver. According to the report of her friends, the other handsome dresses in her trousseau are of silks, brocades and satins, in many colors.

**Admiral Dewey and Bride Cheered.**

New York, Nov. 10.—Admiral Dewey and his bride accompanied by Secretary of War Root, arrived in Jersey City Thursday night from Washington. They took the ferry to Twenty-third street, New York.

As the Admiral alighted from the train many cheers were given for the hero and Mrs. Dewey. The latter wore a black lace dress a black bonnet and a bouquet of violets.

Admiral Dewey was attired in a black Prince Albert, light trousers, black overcoat, silk hat and patent leather shoes. There was a great crowd present when the bridal couple alighted, and the male portion raised their hats as the cheers were given to the newly wedded pair. Mr. and Mrs. Dewey took a cab and were driven to the Waldorf-Astoria where they will stop while in the city.

**Smashup on Union Pacific.**

Cheyenne, Nov. 10.—An east-bound Union Pacific freight train was wrecked five miles west of here. Six cars were piled up and 400 feet of the track damaged. A broken rail probably caused the accident. John Robertson, a brakeman, has not been seen since the accident, and it is believed he is buried under the wreck.

**McCoy Wins From McDonough.**

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 10.—In the fourth round of what was to have been a twenty round contest, Kid McCoy knocked out Jack McDonough before the Hawthorn Athletic Club here, Thursday night.

**TELL ABOUT IT.**

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

**THEY REMOVED THE BOLTS.**

**Train Wreckers Do a Fatal Job in Michigan.**

Toledo, O., Nov. 10.—Michigan Central Train No. 310 from Toledo to Detroit was derailed by the spreading of rails between Alexis and Vienna, Mich., at a late hour Thursday night. The accident was the result of a deliberate piece of work by unknown train wreckers, and happened at a point just beyond a short trestle.

Two freight trains had passed over the road in safety a short time before. Where the rails were spread it was found that the bolts that held the fish-plates had been unscrewed.

The nuts were lying on the ties and the threads of the bolts were not marred in any way. A couple of big wrenches, such as section hands use, were found lying beside the track, indicating how the rails had been loosened. Three people were fatally injured. They are: John McKay, Indianapolis, rib broken, cut about face and hand; John O'Neill, Detroit, fireman, cut about head and arms; and William Hamilton, engineer, bruised, and probably internally injured.

**TO ESTABLISH NEW SERVICE.**

**Marine Transportation Line From Chicago to Liverpool.**

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 10.—The Times-Herald says: "Direct transportation by water from Chicago to Montreal and possibly to Liverpool, for both passengers and freight, is soon to be established by the Illinois Transit Company, a new transportation line recently incorporated in this city. The company includes some of the best-known marine men on the lakes, and it is said to have unlimited capital back of it, which will enable the new line to compete with the largest ship owners on the lakes."

"The practicability of the project was established by the enlarging of the Welland Canal, which was completed recently. Three vessels are to be placed in the service at the beginning and others are to be added as they are needed."

**Why the Marsh Will be Contested.**

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 10.—The Union charges that Robert H. Water's reasons for contesting the will of Prof. Marsh are that Yale University, through its officers and agents, used undue influence with O. C. Marsh, which induced the latter to give his whole fortune to the university. It is said that Marsh believed that immortality came through acts on earth and that his hallucinations were encouraged by the officials. The original will was probated last June after a contest.

**Want to Do Business in New York.**

Albany, Nov. 10.—The Prussian Insurance Company, which under a legislation in this state because of Germany's prohibitive laws against the American companies, has filed with Superintendent Payn a new application to do business on the ground that Germany's prohibition has been removed. The papers were filed on Monday, but Superintendent Payn says he will not give a decision for some days.

**Lady School Commissioner Cheered.**

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 10.—Mrs. T. Montgomery, the newly-elected School Commissioner, was given an unusual welcome in honor of her victory by the State Federation of Woman's Clubs. She came in with Susan B. Anthony, and the ordinary Chautauqua salute was not deemed sufficient. Three cheers were lustily given, many of the clubwomen jumping up on their chairs in their enthusiasm.

**Republican Club Incorporated.**

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 10.—The Freedom Republican Club of the Thirty-second Assembly District of New York City, formed for social and political purposes, has filed articles of incorporation. The directors are: Sam J. E. Rosenthal, Edward Weil, Robert E. Woods and Joseph S. Handley, of New York City.

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**THE TRANSVAAL WAR.**

**FRUITLESS ATTACK ON LADYSMITH BY THE BOERS.**

**British Forces Maintain a Vigorous Defense—The Soldiers Wounded in Hand-to-Hand Fight Present Frightful Appearance—Dispatches Sent by Carrier Pigeon Post.**

London, Nov. 10.—Colonial Secretary Chamberlain has received the following despatch from Natal:

"The Premier has received this dispatch by carrier pigeon post from the commandant of the volunteers at Ladysmith: 'I sent a native messenger on Monday reporting an engagement on that day. I doubt if the message reached its destination as the messenger has not returned.'

"Major Sargent, of the Natal Carabiniers, was killed. Eleven local troops were wounded.

"Nothing important has transpired since."

"The hospital will remove three miles to the south."

"The bombardment has been resumed but no particular damage has resulted."

The British transport Roslyn Castle with General Hildyard and the staff, 1,000 men from the Second Devonshire and the Second West Yorkshire on board, has arrived at Cape Town. Four other transports sailed from England the same day, October 19.

A dispatch from Estcourt says: "Signs are abundantly manifest that a movement is contemplated by the British troops here; but their destination is kept a profound secret."

**England Will Send More Troops.**

London, Nov. 10.—There was tremendous enthusiasm Thursday night at the banquet given by the new Lord Mayor, in the Guildhall, Premier Salisbury made a speech outlining the British policy in South Africa.

General Lord Wolseley, Commander-in-Chief of the British forces, in replying to the toast "The Army," stated that it was likely that another division, in addition to the corps already called out, would be placed in the field. If necessary, he stated, a second army corps would at once be mobilized.

Lord Wolseley stated that there were 53,000 men under arms in the army corps called upon for service in South Africa. Of this number he announced that all but 9,000 have started for the scene of war.

**Wounded Doing Well.**

London, Nov. 10.—General Buller, in a dispatch to the War Office says: "Colonel Kekewich telegraphs from Kimberley, that all is well there. There has been no serious attack as yet, only a slight bombardment, which did no damage."

"Colonel Plumer has had a successful engagement near Fort Tuli."

"General White reports by pigeon post that among his wounded are some civilians. These, by an arrangement with General Joubert, have been removed to a neutral place of safety four miles down the railway."

"Ninety-nine wounded from Dundee have been sent in under a flag of truce. They are all doing well."

**Says News is Gratifying.**

London, Nov. 10.—"On the whole, the news from South Africa is even gratifying," says the Evening News. "All the details now coming in as to the fighting around Ladysmith prove conclusively one fact—that the skill and daring of the British in anything like a close conflict are inspiring the enemy with holy terror of the British and our swords and bayonets, while they are further dismayed by our effective Lee-Metford rifle fire at 2,400 yards range, which the Boer Marksmen are not able to cover." As to the general military situation, it is practically unchanged.

**Evaded Boer Patrols.**

Estcourt Natal, Nov. 10.—Two civilians have just arrived from Ladysmith. They evaded the Boer patrols, Lady Smith is completely invested, they say. The artillery duel is continuous. The Boer guns are slightly superior. The British forces maintain a vigorous defense. Fighting is going on daily. On Friday a battle occurred in three directions. The main attack was made on the Boer batteries on Ambulawana Hill. The British loss is about 150 men. The accumulating reports from the different divisions that took part in the fight show that the Boer losses were far heavier.

The Boers raised a white flag and firing ceased. The British approached them, believing they had surrendered. When the troops got within short range the Boers opened fire. The British charged at once. The infantry, with fixed bayonets, and the Landers, Hussars and Dragoons swept through the Boer lines. The Boers fought like demons. The Gordon Highlanders lost heavily, but the Boer loss was awful. The wounded presented a fearful appearance. Noses and ears were missing from many. This was the result of the bayonet and sabre charge and the hand-to-hand fight.

On the same day fighting took place toward Colenso. No detail of the scope of the operations there or of the casualties were obtained. The operations were continued on Saturday. Gen. White then requested Gen. Joubert permission to allow the women, children and non-combatant males to withdraw from the town to escape the bombardment. Gen. Joubert replied, inviting all non-combatants to come under the protection of the Ambulawana guns. He said that the males having borne arms would have to become prisoners of war. The Mayor of Ladysmith at once called a mass meeting of the inhabitants to consider Gen. Joubert's offer. The township decided not to accept any terms of the enemy. The meeting broke up singing the national anthem showing the characteristic spirit of the colony.

**Dreyfus Case Amnesty.**

Paris, Nov. 10.—It has been reported in the lobbies of the chamber of deputies that the government will initiate a plan for declaring amnesty in all cases connected with the Dreyfus affair.

**Hotel Manager Found Dead.**

Highland Falls, N. Y., Nov. 10.—H. G. Clapp, aged fifty-five years, of New York, manager of Cranston's Hotel on the Hudson, was found dead in his office Thursday. His death is attributed to heart failure.

**TROUBLE IN KENTUCKY.**

Election so Close That Both Sides Louisville, Nov. 10.—The State is on New Claims It.

the verge of civil war. Later reports materially reduce Taylor's majority, and Goebel's followers now confidently claim his election.

The Republicans declare that Goebel is preparing to count Taylor out, and swear that they will install their candidate anyway. Several have already been killed as a result of election troubles, and men are arming all over the State, ready to battle for their favorites.

At Lexington all is turmoil and excitement in political circles, and a report of some bloody crash is momentarily expected. Threats of violent revenge for fraud are heard on both sides. Both Republicans and Democrats are claiming that the victory at the polls is theirs, and the situation is becoming desperate in the extreme. Reports from many parts of the State show that the excitement everywhere is intense, and it is feared that the count cannot be completed without bloodshed.

Murmurs of lynching, bayonet rule, seizing of the gubernatorial chair, issuing of mandamus wholesale arrests and other sensational threats from both parties are being made throughout the State.

Later returns received by the Courier-Journal give William Goebel Democrat, a plurality of 2,070 votes for Governor over Taylor Republican. These figures are based on returns from 1,798 out of 1,863 precincts. Of the seventy-two missing precincts twenty are in the Republican Eleventh district seven are in Republican counties of the Tenth district, thirty-one are in Democratic counties of the Tenth district and the remaining fourteen are scattered among various districts.

**CLERK GIVES HIMSELF UP.**

**Says He Doesn't Know Why He Took Employer's Money.**

Richmond, Va., Nov. 10.—Stanley E. Koepfel, of Jersey City, a self-confessed absconder, has been arraigned in the police court here and his case continued ten days, to permit of communication with the authorities in Jersey City. Koepfel is a handsome, intelligent-looking young fellow. He lived with his mother in Jersey City Heights and was employed as clerk in the grocery store of Anton A. Heimsoth. He was on several occasions entrusted with money by his employer to convey to the bank and on one occasion handled as much as \$200. Last week, however, when he got \$62 to deposit, he boarded a southern train with the money. He arrived in Richmond last Monday night and loafed around until Thursday afternoon, when he went to the police station and gave himself up. Koepfel says that he had no special reason for stopping in Richmond and landed here merely by chance. He says that he did not know what induced him to take the money, as he could gain no advantage therefrom, and he had no particular reason for leaving home.

**Minister Probably Murdered.**

New York, Nov. 10.—Rev. William Hart Dexter, of Nyack, who left the Fifth Avenue Hotel a week ago to go to Springfield and of whom no word has been heard since, was probably murdered and robbed.

The first clue that indicated that he might be a victim of foul play was received by his wife yesterday, in the shape of a letter that had been forwarded to her from Springfield. It was from the firm of T. S. & J. D. Negus, dealers in nautical instruments, at 140 Water street this city.

The letter told that on Friday last—the day after Dexter started from the hotel to take the New Haven boat—Mrs. Mary O'Neill, janitress, at No. 140 Water street, had picked up a Masonic pin in the hallway with Dexter's name on it. Three feet away she found a key attached to a metal ring numbered 3, evidently belonging to a stateroom.

The emblem had been suspended from a watch chain and attached to it were several links. The place where the charm had parted showed that it must have been subjected to a powerful wrench.

Detective Cronin, of headquarters, who was detailed to the case, soon found that Dexter had engaged passage on the New Haven boat on Thursday last week after noon. He was supposed to stateroom 3, putting his valise inside, left the steamer. He did not return after that. But the police and the detectives believe the minister was murdered.

**Death Seems Suspicious.**

Mount Vernon, N. Y., Nov. 10.—The body of a man apparently about 40 years old, was found near the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad tracks in Wakefield. The police believe he was struck and killed by a New Haven train. The back of the head was crushed in. The man was well dressed in gray coat and trousers, with underwear of good material, a white alpine hat and black shoes. Not a scrap of paper or a cent in money was found on the body, or anything that could tend to establish its identity. This, and the fact that the only apparently serious injury is the crushed skull, are the suspicious features of the case. The Wakefield police have taken charge of the body.

**It Was an Important Meeting.**

Paris, Nov. 10.—The Berlin correspondent of the Gaulois says the interview at Potsdam between Emperor William and the Czar resulted in decisions of the highest importance, which will have considerable consequence in modifying the policy of the two powers.

**Carpenter Dies of His Injuries.**

Cleveland, O., Nov. 10.—Clarence A. Carpenter, assistant chief engineer of the Lake Shore road, died Thursday at the Cleveland General Hospital as the result of being struck by a passenger train at Saybrook on Tuesday last.

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CLEVELAND, August 23rd, 1899.

CHARLES A. POST, Treasurer, etc.

DEAR SIR:—Confirming my telegram of this A. M., I beg to say that your Company had run for its credit during April 5,142.64 barrels, May 5,529.36 barrels, June 5,065.13 barrels, July 5,049.46 barrels. There appears to be one run made in July not credited to your account until August, owing to absence of Division order.

Therefore, if you desire to be more accurate you should add 146.93 to the amount of that run to the credit during July, making the total for the month 5,196.39 barrels.

Yours truly, R. L. BATES, Agent.

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A Filipino paper predicts that Bryan  
will be elected in December. We don't  
care what month he's elected in so long  
as it isn't November.

The New York Journal advises its  
readers to "save their Journals by all  
means," as they "will find nothing bet-  
ter in the way of erudition, philosophy  
or general instruction." Mr. Hearst is a  
modest young man.

Gen. Joe Wheeler writes from Manila  
that of the 9,000,000 people in the  
Philippines Aguinaldo controls only  
20,000. To these, however, must be  
added the 1,801—including Mr. Atkin-  
son—whom the little fellow controls in  
America.

Meantime it is in order for Mr. Goe-  
bel, of Kentucky, to revert, with his  
trusty shooting irons, to the rude per-  
sons who called him variously assorted  
kinds of liar and villain during the re-  
cent campaign. Having failed of a vin-  
dication at the ballot box, he may possi-  
bly look for it in the cartridge box.

The first news of Sir Thomas Lipton  
on his arrival in England is not calcu-  
lated to decrease the esteem in which he  
is held in this city. He offered at once to  
equip his steam yacht Erin as a hospi-  
tal ship and place her at the disposal of  
the government for the South African  
service. That's the Lipton style of deal-  
ing with a subject which appeals to his  
head and heart.

The continent can gloat over the  
recent surrender of two British reg-  
iments, but a conveniently short memory  
is necessary to a satisfactory gloating.  
The Winnipeg Tribune recalls the fact  
that General Bazaine, with an army of  
120,000 or more men, surrendered the  
strongly fortified city of Metz to the  
Germans in 1870. In the same year, at  
Sedan, Louis Napoleon, at the head of  
an army 100,000 or so strong, capitu-  
lated.

As a matter of course Gen. Greely,  
chief signal officer, in his annual report  
recognizes the necessity of joining the  
United States and its Pacific possessions  
by submarine cable. There is, we be-  
lieve, no longer any lingering doubt  
among reasonable men that ownership  
will shortly become an essential feature  
of the use of the cable in aiding our  
trade development in the Pacific. This  
is a subject that will probably have a  
conspicuous place in congressional de-  
bate during the coming session.

### A NATIONAL BOULEVARD.

Julian Hawthorne must be a good roads  
enthusiast; for he dreams in the Cosmo-  
politan of a great national boulevard  
that shall cross the continent from  
ocean to ocean. Such a boulevard would  
be, he thinks, one of the world's won-  
ders. It would be the perfection of con-  
struction, 200 to 250 feet wide, evenly  
graded, with paths for horsemen, bicy-  
clists, automobilists and pedestrians.  
America would then become a mecca of  
tourists.

As such a boulevard would not take  
the directest cut across the continent,  
the main obstacle to obtaining it would  
lie in local jealousies. One city would  
insist on a certain route, another city on  
another route. Mr. Hawthorne does  
not attempt to solve any of the perplexi-  
ties that his scheme gives rise to. The  
national boulevard is not an impossibil-  
ity, at all events; and what is not impos-  
sible is, in these lively days, proba-  
ble.

### SCHOOL OF ONE HUNDRED WHALES.

Capt. Look of the schooner Lizzie J.  
Clark reported on Friday, a remarkable  
experience while off Thatcher's island.  
He ran through a school of at least 100  
whales, many of them very large. They  
were spouting all around the schooner.

### THE MOVEMENT TO CAPTURE AGUINALDO.

MANILA, Nov. 10.—The landing of  
American troops at San Fabian on Tues-  
day was the most spectacular affair of  
the kind since General Shafter's disem-  
barkation at Balaquira. The co-operation  
of the troops and the navy was  
complete. The gunboats maintained a  
torrid fire for an hour, while the troops  
rushed waist deep through the surf  
under a terrific though not effective  
rifle fire from the insurgent trenches  
and charged right and left, firing volley  
after volley at the fleeing rebels. Forty  
Philippines were captured, mostly non-  
commissioned officers. Several insur-  
gent dead and five wounded were found  
in a building which had suffered con-  
siderably from the bombardment. When  
the transports arrived in the gulf they  
found the gunboats Princeton and Ben-  
nington and others awaiting. After  
consultation with General Wheaton,  
Commander Knox of the Princeton and  
Commander Sheridan of the Bennington  
anchored off the Shallows, two  
miles off shore. The gunboats formed  
a line inside the Helena, Callao and Ma-  
nila, close in shore. With the first gun  
of the bombardment, the small boats  
were filled rapidly without confusion  
by Major Cronin's battalion of the  
Thirtieth infantry and Captain  
Buck's battalion of the Thirteenth in-  
fantry. While the line of boats moved  
shoreward the gunboats poured the  
full force of their batteries into the  
trenches soon forcing the insurgents to  
flee to the burrows dug back of the  
trenches. About 200 men held their  
places until the boats grounded on the  
shore, when they commenced to pour a  
heavy rifle fire into the Americans.  
The battalions formed in good order.  
Captains Buck, Pierce and Patton's  
companies pursued the insurgents on  
the left into the bamboo thicket. Gen-  
eral Wheaton personally conducted the  
charge across the bridge to the right  
and Captain Howland of his staff led  
Coleman's and Ellworth's companies of  
the Thirteenth, who behaved splen-  
dently under their first fire, into  
the town, which was found to be  
nearly deserted except by the agent and  
some Spaniards, who had hidden in the  
buffalo hollows and came shouting with  
delight toward the Americans. Two  
companies of the Thirtieth had a  
skirmish with the retreating Philip-  
pinos. Major Shields of the staff, with  
his command, captured several insur-  
gents. The troops camped in the rain  
during the night and in the morning  
General Wheaton established his quar-  
ters in the church. Wednesday was de-  
voted to reconnoitering. Major Lo-  
gan's command entered Santo Thomas  
and burned the insurgents' barracks.  
Marsh's Thirtieth marched over the  
Magdalen and Dagupan roads and had  
several sharp fights with small parties.  
They killed eight men and brought in  
twenty prisoners and had five wounded.  
Captains Chynoweth, Lutts, Davis,  
Vanhorn and Bradford, with two com-  
panies of the Seventeenth regiment, re-  
connoitered northeast of Mababacal,  
and attacked and routed a battalion of  
insurgents, killing twenty-nine of them.  
Three Americans were wounded. Twenty-  
eight Spaniards were rescued at the  
landing of the Bennington's men. Gen-  
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cause the concrete beds for the guns  
had not hardened are interpreted in  
some quarters to mean that the British  
husbanded their ammunition. Among  
the first items received from the Cape  
today was one saying that the Boers  
are placing more guns on the hills around  
Ladysmith. A soldier who visited  
Nicksolson Nek after the engagement  
counted seventy-five killed and seventy  
wounded. A corps of engineers from  
Gibraltar accompanies the siege train  
to the Cape and the men will be used in  
mounting the big guns in embrasures.  
Two battalions of mounted infantry,  
comprising men selected for their riding  
and shooting qualities, will be sent to  
the front.

### NOT MUCH NEWS.

LONDON, Nov. 11.—Complete silence  
again prevails upon affairs in South Af-  
rica and the British public must per-  
force be content with brief statements  
which the censor allows to filter through  
from Cape Town. The Daily Telegraph  
asserts that "its approved despatch  
from Ladysmith, dated Monday, which  
the war office published on Tuesday,  
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Rev. L. H. Thayer, pastor. Morning  
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chapel at 12:00. Young people's  
meeting at 6:45 p. m. Vesper service at  
7:30. All are welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH.  
Rev. George W. Gile, pastor. Ser-  
vices at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sun-  
day school in the chapel at 12:00. m.  
Prayer meetings Tuesdays and Fridays  
at 7:45 p. m. All are invited.

FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH.  
Rev. Robert L. Dutton, pastor.  
Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school  
at 11:45 a. m. Junior Christian En-  
deavor meeting at 3:00 p. m. Prayer  
meeting at 7:30 p. m. Christian En-  
deavor meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30.  
Prayer and social meeting Friday even-  
ing.

OLD ST. JOHN'S CHURCH—EPISCOPAL.  
Church hill, Rev. Henry E. Hovey,  
rector. Sunday, at 10:30 a. m., morn-  
ing prayer, litany and sermon. Holy  
communion, first Sunday in every  
month and the greater festivals, 12:00. m.  
Holy days, 8:30 a. m. Evensong, Sun-  
days, 3:00 p. m. Fridays, Ember days,  
in chapel at 5:00 p. m. Parish Sunday  
school in chapel at 3:00 p. m. At  
the evensong service, both in church  
and chapel, the seats are free. At all  
the services strangers are cordially wel-  
comed and provided for.

CHRIST CHURCH—EPISCOPAL.  
Madison street, head of Austin street,  
Rev. Charles LeV. Brine, rector. On  
Sundays, holy communion at 7:30, mat-  
ins or holy communion at 10:30 a. m.,  
Sunday school at 12:00. m., evensong at  
7:30 p. m. On week days, matins (daily)  
at 9:00 a. m., evensong (daily) at 5:00,  
on Friday, evensong at 7:30 p. m., holy  
communion, Thursday at 7:30 a. m. On  
holy days, holy communion at 7:30,  
matins at 9:00 a. m., evensong at 7:30 p.  
m. Seats free and unappropriated.  
Good music. All welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.  
State street, Rev. Wm. Warren, pas-  
tor. Morning prayer at 10:00. Preach-  
ing service 10:30 a. m. Sunday school  
at 12:00. m. Epworth League meeting  
at 6:00 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p.  
m. All are cordially invited.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.  
Court street, Rev. Myron Tyler, pas-  
tor. Morning service at 10:30. Sun-  
day school at 12:00. m. Young people's  
meeting at 6:30 p. m. Evening service  
at 7:30. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting on  
Tuesday evening and prayer meeting on  
Friday evening at 7:30. All are wel-  
come.

CHURCH OF CHRIST—UNIVERSALIST.  
Pleasant street, corner Jenkins ave-  
nue. Rev. George E. Leighton, pas-  
tor. Morning prayer and sermon at  
10:30. Sunday school at 12:00. m. Ad-  
ministration of the holy sacrament the  
first Sunday in the month at 11:45 a. m.  
Good music. Y. P. C. U. meetings  
every Sunday evening at 6:30 in the  
vestry. Strangers are especially wel-  
come.

UNITARIAN CHURCH.  
Rev. Alfred Gooding, pastor. Morn-  
ing service at 10:30. Sunday school at  
12:00. m. All are invited.

ADVENT CHURCH.  
C. M. Seamans, pastor. Social ser-  
vice at 10:30 a. m. Preaching at 2:45  
and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12:00.  
m. Loyal Workers meeting at 6:00 p. m.  
Prayer service at 7:15 p. m. All are in-  
vited.

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.  
Rev. Eugene M. O'Callaghan, pastor.  
Services at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m. Ves-  
pers at 3:00 p. m.

PEOPLE'S CHURCH.  
No pastor. Preaching service Sun-  
day evening at 7:30 p. m. Young peo-  
ple's meeting on Wednesday evening at  
8 o'clock. General meeting on Friday  
at 8. All are invited. Preaching to-  
morrow by Rev. G. O. Bullock.

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10:30 a. m. and from 1:00 to 6:00 p. m.  
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Meetings will be held all day in the  
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7:30 a. m. Holiness meeting at 10:00 a.  
m. Free and easy at 3:00 p. m. Salva-  
tion meeting at 8:00 p. m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH, KITTERY.  
Rev. E. W. Kennison, pastor. Preach-  
ing at 10:45 a. m. Sunday school at  
12:00. m. Prayer meeting at 7:00 p. m.

SECOND METHODIST CHURCH, KITTERY.  
Rev. D. F. Faulkner, pastor. Preach-  
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Menelek to visit Zar.  
St. Petersburg, Nov. 10.—The Turk-  
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have been informed that King Mene-  
lek, of Abyssinia, will arrive in May  
next and will pay a visit to the Zar  
while on his way to the Paris Exposi-  
tion of 1900.

Mistook Son for Burglar.  
Williamstown, Ky., Nov. 10.—Sam  
Brook, an aged farmer living near  
Owenton, mistook his son for a bur-  
glar and stabbed him, inflicting a fatal  
wound. Brook has disappeared and it  
is feared he has committed suicide.

Fire at Rochester Driving Park.  
Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 10.—The  
grand stand and buildings of the  
Rochester Driving Park have been de-  
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For Bilious and Nervous Disorders, such as  
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Dear ma and pa, the children say,  
Do buy as Bartlett's Pickles,  
So nice and good with all our food—  
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His Vinegar is ten years old,  
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tember.

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HE CAUSES THE FILIPINOS TO RETREAT.

Americans Suffer Slight Casualties—Marines Arrive at Mare Island, En Route to the Philippines—Some Portions of the Island of Luzon Are Still Submerged.

Manila, Nov. 10.—Rough weather prevented Gen. Wheaton, commander of the expedition to the northwest of Tarlac, from landing his men near St. Fabian, the point on the Lingayen Gulf, where it was intended they should go ashore. The naval vessels shelled the coast for some time. The Filipinos remained in their trenches and did not reply until the surf-boats with the troops were near the shore. Then they opened a heavy fire. Some of the shells perforated the boats, but only two Americans were wounded. The troops were landed and immediately charged on the enemy and drove them from the trenches. When the gunboat Manila, which brought the news here, left Lingayen Gulf, Gen. Wheaton was marching his men in an easterly direction. He has the 13th regular Infantry, the 33d Volunteers (Col. Hare's regiment) and a battery of artillery—in all about 2,500 men. It is said Aguinaldo, having found the Province of Tarlac uncomfortable, especially after the movements of Lawton and Wheaton began, has designated Bayambang as his new capital and is moving rapidly to ward that point. It is possible. It is about seventy-five miles to the northwest of Tarlac and 166 from Manila. The insurgent leader is supposed to have selected this town for a new capital, not because of the friendly attitude of the inhabitants nor as the means of strengthening his army, for there only is a population of about 23,000 in the whole province of Nueva Vizcaya, but because it regards it a rich province, which will maintain his army and also one where the mountains will serve as a barrier for defense.

News From Gen. Otis.

Washington, Nov. 10.—The following message has been received at the War Department: "Manila, Nov. 9. "Gen. Wheaton successfully landed an expedition at Lingayen, west of Dagupan, on the afternoon of Nov. 7, against considerable opposition with slight casualties. A rough sea did not permit landing at San Fabian, north of Dagupan, as was directed. He is moving eastward. MacArthur seized Malabacal, on the railroad, the 7th inst. Col. Bell taking same on directed reconnaissance. The opposition was slight. Gen. Lawton is at Cabanatuan. Troops beyond Talaberg and Alhaga have met with slight opposition, the enemy being driven back in all instances. The country is still submerged, but the water is falling. The troops will move more rapidly as soon as conditions permit. Hughes moved against Panny natives. OTIS."

The Mare Island Strike.

Mare Island, Cal., Nov. 10.—The striking shipwrights at the Navy Yard are still out. A committee of men had a conference with Commandant Kemp, who said that it was not in his power to permit them to return to finish their work on the Hartford until he had received instructions from the Navy Department.

Marines En Route to Manila

Vallejo, Cal., Nov. 10.—The third battalion of United States Marines, consisting of 15 officers and 320 men, has arrived at Mare Island en route to the Philippines for shore duty at Cavite.

Boston Can't Forget 1776.

Boston, Nov. 10.—After a large display of oratory the Common Council Thursday night passed a resolution expressing disapproval of the project for erecting a monument on the Common to the memory of the British soldiers whose bodies are supposed to lie scattered and unmarked beneath the historic sods. The Mayor was requested to withdraw his approval of the plan.

Politics Causes Fatal Row.

Plattsburg, N. Y., Nov. 10.—During a political row in a saloon near Plattsburg Barracks, Felix Rooney, the proprietor of the place, was shot through the right temple and fatally wounded. Tim O'Brien and William W. Devins, members of the Seventh Infantry, and Tim Lynch, an ex-member of the Twenty-first Infantry, are accused of the shooting and are now in jail.

New Lake Freight Line.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 10.—The Illinois Transit Company of Chicago, with a capital stock of \$50,000, has been incorporated. James H. Channon says that the new company is to enter the freight carrying trade on the great lakes next season, to operate between Chicago and Canadian ports. Mr. Channon is vice-president of Channon & Company shipbuilders of this city.

Andrews Elected Justice.

Watertown, N. Y., Nov. 10.—It is announced here that William S. Andrews of Syracuse, is elected Justice of the Supreme Court, to succeed G. A. Hardin, of Little Falls, in the Fifth Judicial District, including Jefferson, Onondaga, Oneida, Herkimer, Lewis and Oswego counties, by 12,506 plurality over Howard Wiggins, of Rome.

Bellmakers Go on Strike.

Akron, O., Nov. 10.—Four hundred men employed at the works of the Stirling Boiler Company at Barberton have struck because three union men were discharged. The company is engaged on a large contract for cranes for the new Russian cruisers now being built at Barberton.

Sir Thomas Lipton Home.

Southampton, Nov. 10.—Sir Thomas Lipton was interviewed upon his arrival here and reiterated his enthusiastic utterances in regard to America. Sir Thomas intends to offer the steam yacht Erin to the British Government for use as a hospital ship.

FOR LOCKJAW.

Remarkable Results of Trials of Dr. Wood's Discovery.

Whenever medical science achieves a triumph over disease the world stops for a while to admire and wonder at it. Just now the discovery of a remedy for tetanus, commonly called lockjaw, made by Dr. D. Flavel Woods, of Philadelphia, is attracting unusual attention among leading physicians. In a recent article, which appeared in the Medical Journal, Dr. Woods made the following statement:

"Having seen many cases of this dreadful nervous disorder treated in many different ways in hospitals and private practice, I cite this case and its treatment as the only one I have ever seen recover."

As lockjaw has generally been regarded as incurable, the treatment used by Dr. Woods has been tried in a number of cases since with astonishing results. The original case cured by Dr. Woods, he says, was a twelve-year-old boy in Philadelphia. The lad was in such a serious condition that his mother would not permit his going to a hospital, preferring, as she said, that he remain and "die at home."

The following is what Dr. Woods tells of the treatment he used, after stating that the lad's foot had been injured:

"The place of injury was freely opened and a dark, tarry substance (altered blood) was scraped out. The foot was then soaked in a weak solution of carbolic acid and warm water for about half an hour. As it was impossible for him to swallow, 10 minims of a 10 per cent. solution of carbolic acid was used hypodermically; 15 minims after the first 20 minims were injected; 15 minims after the second, 30 minims were used. Thirty minims were continued throughout the day every half hour, with half a grain of cannabina indica; at night the cannabina indica was discontinued, the pupils of his eyes at this time being very contracted. The carbolic acid solution was administered through the night."

"On the afternoon of the third day he slept for two hours, seemed refreshed and said he felt better. From this time he continued to improve, but did not leave his bed until three weeks after the attack."

"From this case I learn that carbolic acid in tetanus is effective only in large and heroic doses. Under these circumstances it is surprising how much the system will bear. I believe that carbolic acid acts as an antitoxin, and is much more reliable than any serum, which I have seen tried. If given boldly as early as possible, so that the system may be quickly and completely saturated, its antiseptic influence will be manifest on the blood, and I believe that there is great hope of this agent becoming a great boon to humanity in the cure of this distressing and alarming malady. Shortly after convalescence of this boy, I learned through Capt. Wolcott, Civil Engineer of the United States Navy at League Island, of a case of tetanus in one of his horses cured by the use of carbolic acid on my suggestion of that treatment."

It has been learned that the carbolic acid treatment has been used often in Philadelphia and some western cities with very great success. Army surgeons have taken it up as the first known remedy to cure lockjaw among horses.

Young Alfred Vanderbilt.

Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt the new heir of the house of Vanderbilts has just attained his majority. He graduated from Yale University last June, and is the second living son of the late Cornelius Vanderbilt. The oldest son died while an undergraduate at Yale. Physically Mr. Vanderbilt is about five feet eight inches tall and weighs about 150 pounds. He is well built. His complexion is dark and rather pale. His features strongly resemble those of his father and he possesses points of resemblance in expression to his mother, who was Miss Gwynne, of Cincinnati.

While in college Mr. Vanderbilt had, it is said, formed an attachment which society believes will soon result in a marriage. Miss Elsie French, daughter of the late Francis Ormande French, president of the Manhattan Trust Company, is the young lady whom everybody believes will be Mrs. Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt. She has a fortune in her own right of more than \$5,000,000. She is also very pretty.

A Photographic Feat.

Probably the longest solar spectrum achieved at a single operation is one taken by Sir Norman Lockyer, showing the lock spectrum of iron, with a comparison spectrum of the sun thirty inches long. This was taken with the large concave Rowland grating which Sir Norman now uses for solar spectroscopic photography, and owing to the focal plane of this grating being considerably curved it is impossible to get a sharp photograph of the entire spectrum on a glass plate as only about eighteen or twenty inches of the spectrum can be brought into focus on the same plane.

Black Diamonds.

The only place where "black diamonds" are found in the Brazilian Province of Bahia. They are usually found in river beds and brought up by divers. Others are obtained by tunneling mountains. The largest specimen ever found was worth \$20,000.

How to Tell a Lady—in Boston.

Hicks—No gentleman will swear in the presence of a lady. Wicks—No; but if a lady happens to make her appearance when a man is in the midst of a swearing fit, she is no lady if she expects him to leave off at once.—Boston Transcript.

The Memory.

Scientists have discovered that the memory is stronger in summer than in winter. Among the worst foes of the memory are too much food, too much physical exertion, and, strangely enough, too much education.

A Load of Fans.

It is no unusual thing for a vessel plying between Japan and London to carry 1,000,000 fans as a single item of its cargo.

OVERDUP'S EXPEDITION

Changes Suggested by Experience in the Preparations.

A Norwegian proverb says, "The ship that has once seen the sun set on a field of ice, will always return to it." With the Fram this certainly will prove to be the case, for in these days she again sets sail for Polar seas.

Already in the autumn of 1896, shortly after the world had been electrified by the news of the return of Nansen and the Fram, her captain, Otto Sverdrup, began planning a second arctic expedition. Before, however, publicly announcing his intentions, he laid his scheme before English and Scandinavian scientists, and went carefully over his plans with Nansen; the former agreed with him, that were he successful in accomplishing what he intended, the trip would be of great scientific value; the latter naturally fired Sverdrup with his usual enthusiasm and encouragement. Captain Sverdrup had, but to suggest his plan to worthy Norwegians of scientific interests in order instantly to receive promise of such support as to remove all financial obstacles, even should the government veto an appropriation.

The Fram's first expedition had, of course, shown its captain in which ways she fell short of, as well as surpassed, expectations, and how she bore the very varying stress and strain of polar seas. Although the ship had most admirably withstood the packing and grinding of the ice, as well as internally fulfilled the wants of such an expedition, still Captain Sverdrup had observed several ways in which she could more fully meet requirements.

Remodelling the ship, he thought, might cost about \$5,000, but later he found that it would amount to about \$6,500. In the spring of 1897 a petition, accompanied by a hearty recommendation from Nansen, was laid before the Shothing, requesting an appropriation of money sufficient to cover the expenses. It was instantly and enthusiastically voted by both Radicals and Conservatives.

The entire cost of the necessary provisions was defrayed by the brothers Ringnes and Consul Heiberg, and the Fram was ready and transformed early this spring.

With Nansen meeting success, after having sailed out in the face of so much criticism and scepticism, Sverdrup found it unnecessary to explain his intentions or support his views in order to gain confidence or belief. The course of his trip is in the main as follows: First, to creep along the western coast of Greenland, through Smith's Sound and the Kennedy and Robinson Straits, to the northwestern coast, and from there out into Lincoln's Sea, well known from Markham's voyage in 1876. Sverdrup hopes to reach Robinson Strait by August, the time of year when it is free from ice. In Lincoln's Sea, somewhere near Greenland's coast, he hopes to seek winter quarters. Then, the following spring or summer, the journey will continue around the northern shore of Greenland (Greenland, according to the latest investigations, is supposed to be an island), and drift with the polar current down the eastern shore. The course of the trip is, therefore, mainly a circumnavigation of Greenland. Sverdrup's greatest difficulty, should he succeed in getting round the north of Greenland, will undoubtedly be when endeavoring to force the Fram out of the "pack-ice," by which she would gradually be carried southward with the polar current. His succeeding in doing this with the Fram in the summer of 1896 was what earned for him Nansen's remark, at a dinner of the Norwegian Geographical society, "I consider," Nansen said, "Sverdrup's freeing our ship from the horrible crush of the pack-ice which surrounded her the greatest achievement ever performed in arctic regions."

The aim of Sverdrup's journey is merely one of scientific research, and not, as Nansen's party was, to reach the axis of the pole. Besides a study of the meteorological, magnetic, and other physical conditions of these partly unknown regions, much of the work will be an accurate examination of the palaeocystic ice, as well as the oceanic, and the stretches of land that are passed. The geology of the country also will be investigated, the depth, percentage of salt, and temperature of the sea, the flora and fauna of the regions, etc.

With the Fram as their station, many sledding expeditions will be made in order to locate definitely the geographical position of islands and coast, and as Sverdrup recently put it in a speech at the recent fête of Norwegian geologists, "to color the white ignorance of our maps."

In one respect a radical departure has been made in the Fram's equipment, namely, in the use of petroleum for lighting as well as heating, instead of electricity. The large quantity of coal needed for heating as well as for motor force has now been replaced by twenty tons of petroleum.

The Danish government has, as usual, done much towards the success of the trip. When the Fram reaches Godhavn, Greenland, she will there find sixty tons of coal awaiting her, as well as the so necessary dogs. In Scoresby Sound a station has been placed at the disposition of Sverdrup. The Greenland authorities in Godhavn, Egedes Minde, and Upernivik have also received instruction from the home government to aid in every possible manner Sverdrup and his ship.

Samuel Stout of Newcomb, Ill., who has just been granted a patent for a farm gate, is said to be the oldest person to whom a patent right has ever been attended. Mr. Stout is over 90 years of age.

A BIRD TALK.

The Common Birds of the Country Not Decreasing in Number.

There is a reassuring "Bird Talk" by John Burroughs in the November St. Nicholas. One of the good signs of the times, he says, is the interest our young people are taking in the birds, and the numerous clubs and societies that are being formed throughout the country for bird protection and cultivation. In my youth but little was heard about the birds. They were looked upon as of little account. Many of them were treated as the farmer's natural enemies. Crows and all kinds of hawks and owls were destroyed whenever chance offered. I knew a farmer who every summer caught and killed all the red-tailed hawks he could. He stood up poles in his meadows, upon the tops of which he would set steel traps. The hawks, looking for meadow mice, would alight upon them and be caught. The farmer was thus slaying his best friends, as these large hawks have almost entirely upon mice and vermin. The red-tail, or hen-hawk is very wary of a man with a gun, but he has not yet learned of the danger that lurks in a steel trap on the top of a pole.

If a strict account could be kept with our crows and hawks for a year, it would be found at the end of that time that most of them had a balance to their credit. That is, they do us more good than injury. A few of them, like the fish-crow and sharp-shinned hawk, Cooper's hawk and the duck-hawk, are destructive to the birds and wild fowls, but the others live mainly upon insects and vermin.

I do not share the alarm expressed in some quarters over the seeming decrease in the number of birds. People are always more or less gloomy in regard to the present and present things. As we grow older the number of beautiful things in the world seems to be fewer. "The Indian summer is not what it used to be; the winters are not so bracing; the spring is more uncertain, and honest men are fewer." But there is not much change after all. The change is mainly in us. I see no decrease in the great body of our common field, orchard and wood birds. I do not see the cliff swallows I used to see in my youth, they go farther north, to northern New England and Canada. At Rangeley Lake, in Maine, I saw the eaves of a barn as crowded with their mud nests as I used to see the eaves of my father's barns amid the Catalpa in the cliffs along the Yukon in Alaska they are said to swarm in great numbers. Nearly all our game-birds are decreasing in numbers, because sportsmen are more and more numerous and skilful, and their guns more and more deadly. The bobolinks are fewer than they were a decade or two ago, because they are slaughtered more and more in the marshes and rice fields of the South. The bluebirds and hermit thrushes are threatened with extinction by a cold wave and a severe storm in the Southern States a few years ago. These birds appear to have been slain by the hundred thousand. But they are slowly recovering lost ground, and in ten or more years will no doubt be as numerous as ever. I see along the Hudson River fewer eagles than I used to see fifteen years ago. The collectors and the riflemen are no doubt responsible for this decrease. But the robins, thrushes, finches, warblers, blackbirds, orioles, fly-catchers, vireos and woodpeckers are quite as abundant as they were a quarter of a century ago, if not more so.

Thirty Tons of Spruce Gum.

The spruce gum of crop of Maine of 1895 has been harvested and sent to market. It has proved to be the largest crop in the history of the state—thirty tons, worth \$63,000. This is all collected by the lumbermen, and contains considerable bark and chips, but is sorted over by the refinery Yankers and sells it to the trust.

An Interesting and Peculiar Thing.

In connection with the gum crop is the fact that the harvesters have combined to crush the trust. They will sell none of their product to any dealer who does not give him promise that no gum handled by them shall be manufactured and put on the market by the trust.

A Balloon Bridge.

A French aeronaut has invented a "balloon bridge," which is not a bridge sustained by balloons in the air, but supported by small balloons or air bags on the surface of the water. For a river 100 yards wide 200 bags are required, and 100 men can build the bridge in less than an hour. A platform of twenty-one wooden rafts, end to end, and tied by ropes is laid upon the bags. This new pontoon is actually in use in the French army.

A Fighting Family.

A monument recently placed in a cemetery in Louisville, Ky., bears inscription to the memory of John E. Austin, a soldier of the revolution; J. Allen Austin, his son, a soldier of the war of 1812; James Grigsby Austin, his grandson, a soldier of the war with Mexico, and James Richard Gathright, his great-grandson, a Confederate soldier, who was killed at Murfreesboro, Tenn., Jan. 1, 1863. All were privates.

Plenty of Kilts.

A Scottish paper says that between 150,000 and 200,000 kilts are made every year. The kilted regiment of regulars, militia and volunteers number some seventeen battalions. To these may be added the pipers, belonging to Lowland regiments, making in all about 14,000 men. As the military kilt is only provided biennially this represents a supply of 7,000 each year.

Hollanders Smoke Most.

The Hollanders are perhaps of all the northern people those who smoke the most, the humidity of their climate making it almost a necessity while the moderate cost of tobacco with them renders it accessible to all. To show how deeply rooted is the habit, it is enough to say that the botmen of Holland measure distances by smoking.

Elephants Have Eight Teeth.

Elephants have only eight teeth, two below and two above on each side. All baby elephants at birth fall out when they are about 14 years old, and a new set grows.

THE MATTER OF GOLF.

It is Expensive, But Fascinating, for All Ages and Both Sexes.

Let golf continue. It attracts the wealthy and the class that has leisure. It gives the idle what they need more than anything else—exercise in the open air.

Doubtless it is too soon to form a positive opinion as to its permanency, but an instructive test may not be deferred very long. If the investment in golf courses and clubhouses would begin to dwindle it would be an ominous sign. That investment has never been estimated, but it must be enormous. The number of regularly organized clubs is surprisingly large, and is still rapidly increasing. Managers of large summer hotels remote from golf courses already established have pretty generally considered it good policy to lay out courses of their own in order to attract or hold a desirable patronage. There are many private links of varying quality, and most villages boast a field on which at least a rude imitation of golf can be produced. It is a misfortune, from the general point of view, that so large an outlay is required for the purpose of the game in



(Miss Ruth Underhill)

its best estate. It must be admitted that golf comes high, and this is probably the strongest reason for believing that the number of those who feel that they must have it will decline, at least temporarily. A course must be well maintained to make playing on it permanently enjoyable. Then too, the cost of implements and attendance has to be taken into account by persons of moderate means who are not constitutionally reckless. Caddies are not indispensable, but they are extremely convenient, and they get from 30 to 50 cents for a round of eighteen holes, though their employment saves, or ought to save, something in the item of lost balls. Clubs last long if they are well cared for, but balls have to be constantly replaced. Then there are the incidentals, including transportation and food and drink, and these amount to a great deal for players who live in large cities, and indeed to many others, either of necessity or through indulgence.

From this really serious drawback of expense some other games which have had great vogue, notably lawn tennis, are largely exempt. The game of golf possesses remarkable fascinations, as the story of its conquest shows, and great utility as well. It appeals to all ages and excludes none, and perhaps it it were possible to make a severely accurate estimate of the good it does it would be revealed not as an extravagance, but as a true economy. There are many thousands of persons who want to take that view of it, and are still resolved to give the game the benefit of any doubt which may be suggested.

The new woman champion, Miss Ruth Underhill, of Glen Cove, L. I., defeated Miss Cateh Fox by two up and one to play. She did it by great nerve under trying circumstances.

A Warning to Fighters.

Charles Haskins, a pugilist, was literally beaten to death at Grass Valley, Cal., recently, under the most peculiar circumstances. Haskins and Jim Pendergast, a Sacramento fighter, were matched to fight 20 rounds. In the third round Pendergast was guilty of a palpable foul, and the referee promptly awarded the fight to Haskins. The spectators raised a tumult, crying "Foul!" and demanded that the fight continue. Against the advice of his seconds, Haskins asked the referee to permit the battle to be resumed. The request was granted, and amid the yells of the crowd, the men again entered the ring. The tide of battle turned, and in the succeeding rounds Haskins was given a most fearful drubbing. He managed to stay in the ring until the 10th round, trying to give the spectators their money's worth. In the 10th Haskins, who was almost exhausted, was knocked down three times. The last time he went down before a terrible left swing on the jaw. He was counted out, but still lay helpless, and was carried from the ring. In spite of the efforts of physicians Haskins died. Pendergast and all his seconds are under arrest.

Cissy Loftus.

It now turns out that Cissy Loftus was only engaged to Richard Mansfield for the rehearsals in "Cyrano de Bergerac" and that when the English mimic cut loose Mr. Mansfield forthwith said, "My, my. Hence the Loftus retirement and Katherine Grey's re-engagement."

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Hon. John H. Gardner, member Wyoming State Legislature from Beulah, Crook Co., letter dated February 20, 1899, to the

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LEAVE ROCHESTER, 7:19, 9:47 a. m., 3:50, 6:25 p. m. Sundays, 7:00 a. m., LEAVE SOMERSWORTH, 6:35, 7:32, 10:01 a. m., 4:05, 6:38 p. m.  
LEAVE DOVER, 6:50, 10:24 a. m., 1:40, 4:30, 6:30, 9:20 p. m. Sundays, 7:30 a. m., 9:25 p. m.  
LEAVE HAMPTON, 9:22, 11:53 a. m., 2:13, 4:50, 6:16 p. m. Sundays 6:20, 10:00 a. m., 8:09 p. m.  
LEAVE NORTH HAMPTON, 9:28, 11:59 a. m., 2:19, 5:05, 6:21 p. m. Sundays, 6:30, 10:12 a. m., 8:15 p. m.  
LEAVE GREENLAND, 9:35 a. m., 12:06, 2:25, 5:11, 6:37 p. m. Sundays, 9:35, 10:18 a. m., 8:30 p. m.

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## THE HERALD.

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### NAVAL ORDERS.

Capt. N. M. Dyer has been granted  
sick leave for three months.  
Commander R. E. Impey has been  
detached from the navy yard at Norfolk  
and ordered home on waiting orders.  
Naval Constructor W. L. Cappe, de-  
tached from the bureau of construction  
and repair and to continue duties as  
member of the board of inspection and  
survey.  
Lieut. C. B. Brittain, one month's ex-  
tension of sick leave.  
Lieut. A. H. Robertson, to the Inde-  
pendence.  
Acting Warrant Machinist F. P. Mu-  
gan, from the Wabash to the Dixie.  
Acting Boatswain H. Feehan, from  
the Richmond to the Pensacola.  
Commander E. W. Watson has been  
detached from the Washington navy  
yard and ordered to duty as captain of  
the navy yard, Norfolk.  
Lieutenant Commander J. P. S. Law-  
rence, to the Massachusetts for engi-  
neering duty.  
Commander G. Blocklinger, to duty  
at Chicago, in charge of the naval re-  
cruiting rendezvous and branch hydro-  
graphic office.  
Lieut. B. W. Wells, Jr., from duty  
at Chicago and placed on waiting or-  
ders.  
Lieut. R. I. Reid, from the Massachu-  
setts to the navy yard, Norfolk.  
Ensigns J. F. Marshall, Jr., and E.  
H. Dunn, from the Dixie to the Chi-  
cago.

### POLICE NEWS.

Wilbur Haley, an old rounder with  
the police, was arrested on Water street  
on Friday afternoon, with a beautiful  
jag on.  
Marshal Edwistle and Officer Hilton  
paid a visit to Dennis Collins' house  
on Penhallow street on Friday morning  
and arrested Mr. and Mrs. Collins for  
keeping a disorderly house. They were  
brought before Judge Emery in the  
afternoon, but the case was continued  
until today.  
Assistant Marshal West arrested  
Thomas Philbrook at the depot, Friday  
afternoon, on the charge of malicious  
mischief. For some time past, Phil-  
brook has been employed at the county  
farm but lost his job recently, and  
came direct to this city where he pro-  
ceeded to fill up. Friday morning he  
stove out a number of windows in a  
house on Water street, besides doing  
considerable other damage.

### WOMEN NEED SKILLFUL AD- VICE.

Dr. Greene, discoverer of that most  
wonderful of all cures for women's com-  
plaints, Dr. Greene's Nervura, is the  
most successful specialist in curing fe-  
male complaints, the physician to whom  
thousands of women write in regard to  
their diseases, and who gives consulta-  
tion and advice absolutely free of charge.  
Many thousands of women have regained  
their health and strength and become  
happy wives and mothers through the  
timely advice and counsel of this skill-  
ful woman's physician. If you are a  
sufferer from any of the weaknesses  
and diseases peculiar to women, do not  
fail to write to Dr. Greene about your  
case at once, at his office, 34 Temple  
Place, Boston, Mass., and by following  
his advice, based upon his long expe-  
rience and remarkable success, you can  
be absolutely sure of being cured.  
Write at once. It will cost you nothing  
to get his advice.

### WARWICKS WON.

The Manchester whist team of the Cal-  
umet club played the Warwick club's  
crack whist team in this city on Friday  
evening, and were defeated by a score  
of nineteen to eleven, making the tenth  
time they have won the cup. Next Fri-  
day they play the Wonalancets of Con-  
cord. The personnel of the two teams  
was:

Warwicks.—Messrs J. Ed. Pickering,  
H. C. Call, J. C. Simpson and J. L.  
Mitchell.  
Calumets.—Messrs. E. S. Stratton,  
G. R. Allen, A. W. Phinney and W. M.  
Eames.

### ORGANIZED IN KITTERY.

The Review company (limited) or-  
ganized in Kittery for the purpose of  
conducting a publishing business with  
\$3000 capital stock, of which \$430 is  
paid in. The officers are: President,  
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Liver ills.]

## WOMAN FOUND DEAD.

Mrs. Anna Pitts Dropped Dead In  
Kitchen During the Night.

Mrs. Anna Pitts, a widow, was found  
dead in the kitchen of her home at the  
corner of Hancock and Water streets  
shortly after 8 o'clock this morning.  
Death was caused by an attack of heart  
disease.  
The woman was found on the floor by  
Mrs. Chandler, who lives in the other  
half of the tenement, and the body was  
lying directly in front of the kitchen  
stove, with the feet toward the range.  
Mr. Chandler at once notified Officer  
Hilton and after taking charge of the  
premises notified police headquarters  
and Coroner Rider.  
Assistant Marshal West, the coroner  
and a Herald reporter soon after visited  
the house, and after the arrival of Dr.  
George Pender, city physician, who  
pronounced the cause of death to have  
been heart failure, the body was turned  
over to an undertaker.  
Mrs. Pitts left no relatives except  
distant relations and was about sixty  
years of age. She leaves an estate which  
is cared for by W. W. Cotton.  
The woman was last seen alive at  
about 10 o'clock last evening, when one  
of the people who live in the other half  
of the house came home and talked with  
her before they retired.  
When she was found dead this morn-  
ing the light was burning in the kitch-  
en and from the appearance of the body  
it seemed that the woman had just risen  
from her chair and had attempted to  
cross the room, when seized with the  
fatal attack.

### NEWBURYPORT TODAY.

Good Team Against Us at the Park  
This Afternoon.

At the Portsmouth park this after-  
noon the home foot ball team is playing  
against the strong Newburyport eleven  
and one of the best games of the season  
is likely to result.

The visiting team, with quite a crowd  
of enthusiasts arrived here at 2.20 o'clock  
and the Newburyport boys are a good  
looking, clean appearing team. They  
were entertained by the members of the  
home team, before the game.

The line up of the teams will be as  
follows:  
Shaw ls r e Noyes  
Ducker lt r t Hamilton  
Smith lg r g Pike  
Bunker c c Smith  
W. Newick rg lg Greenleaf  
Roberts rt lt Kelley  
Richardson re le Pope  
Tilley qb qb Green  
G. Newick lb b r h b Brown  
Bayer r lb b lb b E Shepard  
Dumphy lb b f b Nelson

### ANOTHER BOGUS CHECK.

B. F. Mugridge Lost \$40, Which He  
Paid For Worthless Paper.

B. F. Mugridge, the Market street  
merchant accepted a check a few days  
ago from a stranger, and is out \$40, the  
amount it was supposed the article was  
worth.

The check was made on the York  
National bank to the order of the man  
and the name of J. E. Ellis, the York  
hotel keeper was forged to the same.

Mr. Mugridge sent the check with  
other deposit to a local bank and it was  
sent to York, after which the local bank  
was notified that it was the work of a  
swindler.

There is at present no clue to the for-  
ger and the police have little to work  
upon. The delay in discovering the  
swindle allowed the perpetrator to get a  
good distance from here.

### POLICE COURT.

Disorderly House, Alleged Assault,  
Drunk, and Winoz Smashing.

In police court before Judge Emery  
this morning Dennis Collins and his  
wife were held in \$100 each for keeping  
a disorderly house on Jefferson street  
and will probably go to jail until the  
commissioners send them to the old  
country, where they want to go.

Thomas Philbrook was given a sus-  
pended sentence of ninety days at  
Brentwood for defacing No. 12 Water  
street and allowed four days in which  
to leave the city.

H. N. Bullock for an alleged assault  
on Thomas Philbrook in connection  
with the above affair, was discharged.

Wilbert Haley was fined \$5 and costs  
of \$8.90 for drunkenness on Water  
street.

### HORSES DELAYED TRAIN.

The first train from Dover to this city  
this morning was late here about five  
minutes on account of a peculiar cir-  
cumstance. Just after the train left  
Newington a couple of horses were dis-  
covered on the track and ran but a short  
distance ahead of the locomotive all the  
way to Dover Point, where they took to  
the road. It was impossible to force  
the engine faster than the horses ran  
and it was equally impossible to get the  
animals off the track.

## CITY BRIEFS.

Jane is not sad, nor does she sigh  
When breezes blow the dead leaves by;  
She wears with joy fate can't confute  
Her good left-over winter suit.  
—Chicago Record

The moon is in its first quarter.

Bicycles are being stored for the win-  
ter.

Pussy willows are blossoming for the  
second time this season.

W. E. Paul is putting steam heat into  
the residence of Dr. Willis.

A number from this city attended the  
football game in Exeter today.

One year ago Friday there was a snow  
fall of one and five tenths inches.

Conner, photographer studio, (for-  
merly Nickerson's,) No. 1 Congress  
street.

The freight business for the past  
week has been heavier than for some  
time past.

The "S. G." Londres is made of the  
choicest stock and is the best ten cent  
cigar in the market.

The Portsmouth High school eleven  
will play with the Salmon Falls eleven  
in that town on Thanksgiving day.

Rubber heels become very popular  
and John G. Mott is fitting out the lo-  
cal public with an excellent article.

Arrangements are making for the an-  
nual meeting of the state association of  
boards of health to be held in Concord  
in December.

Admirers of good lawns say that they  
do not remember having seen them  
keep green so late in the fall as they  
have done this year.

The inspectors of the Boston & Maine  
railroad are examining the eyesight,  
hearing and watches of section and sta-  
tion men throughout the state.

A young son of Ernest Treisthen was  
run over on High street, Friday, by  
one of Cottle's teams of Kittery. The  
youngster escaped with a few bruises.

The schooner Wilson and Willard  
and the barges Dover and Berwick came  
down river Friday with cargoes of 40-  
000, 100,000 and 125,000 tons of brick  
respectively.

The third annual convention of the  
King's Daughters of New Hampshire  
will be held in Concord on November  
14th and 15th. The local societies will  
be represented by delegates.

"A Man Who Saw an Opportunity,"  
will be the subject of the sermon at the  
Pearl street church Sunday. The pas-  
tor will deliver the fourth address in  
the Sunday evening series in the even-  
ing. Praise service commences at 7.15.

A butter box containing eggs, cream,  
etc., was found in the street opposite 12  
Lincoln avenue, Friday afternoon. It  
must have been dropped from some  
team. The owner can have it by call-  
ing at the above residence. W. W. Mc-  
INTYRE.

Rev. George Batchelder of Boston  
will preach at the Unitarian church on  
Sunday. Mr. Batchelder has the repu-  
tation of being one of the most elo-  
quent clergymen of Boston, and those  
who hear him will enjoy his thoughtful  
and eloquent discourse.

Some people have been sadly imposed  
upon by agents for books and maga-  
zines who have offered choice premiums  
as inducements. After getting part of  
their money in advance the agents have  
disappeared and neither magazines nor  
premiums have ever arrived to cheer  
the subscribers.

The freight conductors on the White  
mountain division of the Boston &  
Maine have received an advance of 25  
cents per day in their pay, and the  
brakemen of 10 cents, dating from Nov.  
1. Passenger and yard conductors  
have also received a substantial in-  
crease. Increased wages are probable  
on the other divisions.

Schooner Annie F. Conlon of this  
port, Capt. Baker, which sailed from  
Philadelphia on Saturday of last week,  
with coal, arrived at Bath on Thursday  
last. The Conlon was fortunate in  
chartering at the advanced rates, two  
dollars a ton, and made a very quick  
passage. The John S. Davis which  
sailed the same day as the Conlon  
struck on Toddy rock, off Hull, on Wed-  
nesday night, the 8th inst., and is now  
leaking badly at Boston.

### THAT ELECTRIC LIGHT CON- TRACT.

There is sure to be a lively session of  
the common council when that body  
takes up the matter of making a con-  
tract for lighting the streets. Many  
citizens contend that a contract from  
year to year would be a sensible move  
and there is much opposition to a con-  
tract being made for a term of ten  
years. There is really no need of haste  
in the matter and it is doubtful if the  
council will rush it through in such  
haste as did the upper board.

### PAY CORPS EXAMINATION.

The navy department has arranged  
for an examination of applicants for up-  
pointment to the pay corps, to take  
place at the Washington navy yard on  
the 20th, the same date as the examina-  
tion of applicants for the marine corps,  
previously announced.

## PERSONALS.

Mr. Arthur A. Abbott is visiting in  
Manchester.

Fred Prior of Bristol, Conn., was in  
Kittery on Friday.

Mr. Edward Sterling is visiting  
friends in Manchester.

Miss Claire George has returned from  
a visit to friends in Exeter.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar E. Farbiel are  
the guests of relatives in this city.

Miss Charity Davis of Boston is pass-  
ing a few days in town the guest of  
friends.

Martha A. Young, widow of J. Wes-  
ley Young of this city, has been grant-  
ed an original pension of \$8 per month.

C. B. Hoyt leaves today, Saturday,  
for North Woodstock, where he will  
join a party of friends on a gunning  
trip.

Miss Annie M. Jones of Boston,  
formerly of this city, is the guest of her  
grandmother, Mrs. John Neal of Kittery.

Lieut. Kollar, U. S. A., stationed in  
this city with duty connected with the  
German fleet negotiations, has been  
detached and ordered to St. Louis.

J. C. Simpson, of Boston, formerly  
superintendent of schools in this city,  
was in town on Friday evening, and  
played in the Warwick club's whist  
tournament.

Mr. Fred W. Emery has closed his  
laundry at York and is to locate in Mon-  
roe, this state. Mr. Emery has made  
hosts of friends here who wish him  
every success in his new field.

Miss Marion Brown of this city  
danced the sailors' hornpipe at the en-  
tertainment of Major Waldron Council,  
Royal Arcanum, in Dover on Thursday  
evening, and was complimented by the  
Dover papers for her faultless efforts.

### RESULTS OF WEIGHING MAIL MATTER AT THIS POST OFFICE.

In accordance with orders issued by  
the postmaster-general, all the mail  
matter received at the Portsmouth post-  
office from Oct. 3 to Nov. 6 was weighed  
and the results were reported to the  
postal headquarters in Washington to-  
day. It is the rule of the office to have  
the mail matter weighed every four  
years for a period of 35 days.

During the above named time there  
originated in this office a total of 15 985  
lbs. 13 oz. of all classes. This is the  
history of the local office that the mat-  
ter has been weighed in detail, and  
therefore only an estimated increase can  
be made. The amounts by the different  
classes follow:

First class, 1829 lbs. 7 oz.  
Second class (postpaid) 4532 lbs. 5 oz.  
Third class (free) 773 lbs. 4 oz.  
Third and fourth class, 762 lbs.

Government free matter, 712 lbs.  
3 oz.

Foreign, 89 lbs. 7 oz.

Equipments, pouches, sacks, etc.,  
7256 lbs. 5 oz.

Speaking of the above figures it was  
stated that there had been during the  
closing months of the summer and this  
fall a large mail all over the country  
probably owing to the general increase  
in business. Usually at this season of  
the year the mail business is as quiet as  
at any time throughout the year and  
the greatest rush is during the Christ-  
mas holidays. The first of every month  
usually shows an increase owing to the  
business statements, lodge notices, etc.,  
which are sent out.

The preceding time that the mail was  
weighed in this city was from Oct. 7 to  
Nov. 10, 1896, at that time the mail was  
not weighed by class and only the total  
aggregate was found.

Weighing the matter in this office  
has been a considerable job and the  
force of clerks have had at times all  
they could do. This was more so in  
this office because the mails were not  
closed any earlier on account of the ex-  
tra business.

### ARRAIGNED ON TWO COUNTS.

The house No. 12 Water street was  
raided on Friday afternoon by Marshal  
Entwistle and Officer Hilton. A bottle  
of malt and another of spirituous li-  
quor were taken away as evidence. The  
proprietress, Mattie Bond, was arraigned  
before Judge Emery in police court at  
three o'clock on two charges: keeping  
malt and spirituous liquors for sale.  
She pleaded guilty to the first charge  
and was fined ten dollars and costs.  
On the charge of keeping spirituous li-  
quors she pleaded not guilty and was  
bound over to the April term of court  
and released under two hundred dollar  
bonds.

### VALUABLE HORSE SICK.

One of the valuable black horses of  
the pair that was formerly used on the  
Chemical is dangerously ill at the city  
stables and though Street Commissioner  
or Scruton and a veterinary worked  
nearly all Friday night on the animal,  
it is feared that he will die.

The November meteors are due any  
time next week after Tuesday.

## MUST AFFIX THE STAMPS.

Decision of the Controller on Re-  
quest of a Disbursing Officer.

J. M. Kidd, disbursing officer of the  
United States board of engineers and  
deep waterways at Detroit, reports to  
the controller of the treasury that he is  
called upon to make shipments by the  
American Express company, and that  
the company refuses to affix revenue  
stamps on its receipts and bills of lad-  
ing unless paid for by Mr. Kidd. In-  
quiry is made as to what should be  
done. The controller says that the  
commissioner of internal revenue has  
decided that express companies should  
affix the stamps. If the company does  
not do so in this case Mr. Kidd is  
authorized to pay for the stamps and  
report the matter to the commissioner  
of internal revenue for action.

### DANCING ASSEMBLY.

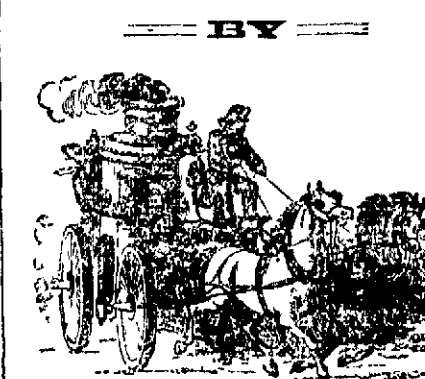
The ladies of Pythian Sisterhood  
gave an enjoyable dancing assembly in  
Conservatory hall on Friday evening  
and a good sized crowd was present.  
One of the events of the evening was a  
cake walk, which was participated in  
by nearly a dozen couples. The judges  
awarded the cake (?) to H. G. Steven-  
son and Miss Ethel Corey. The "cake"  
proved to be a juicy custard pie from  
the lunch cart and was much enjoyed.

### TO ABOLISH "TIPPING" ON TRAINS.

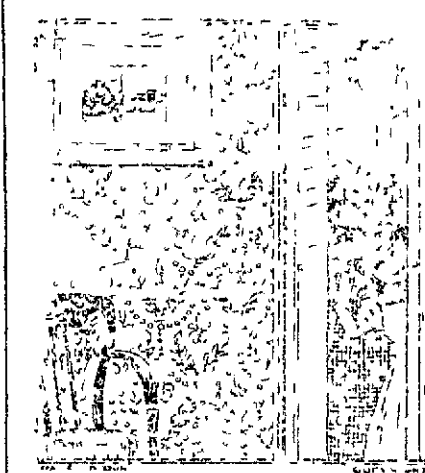
The Chicago Record says that George  
H. Daniels, general passenger agent of  
the New York Central railroad, is at  
the head of a movement to abolish the  
practice of "tipping" on dining and  
sleeping cars. The movement already  
has found hearty approval and backing  
among officials of several of the trunk  
lines.

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